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# **Dow Gains** 55, Is Up For Week

#### Steadier Dollar Overseas Gains Stir Confidence

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches NEW YORK - Wall Street ended another volatile week on Friday with a further rebound in stock prices and market confidence. The Dow Jones industrial average of 30 stocks rose 55.20 points, to close at 1,993.53, a gain of 2.8 percent. It was the market's fourth

consecutive gain.

Dealers said confidence seemed gradually to be recovering in the market, with a rise of 144 points, or 8 percent, in the Dow in the past three sessions. For the week, Dow climbed a total of 42.77

The tone is much better," said Jack Baker, head of block trading for Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc. "You can feel it in the air. If we continue to base build, good times may be ahead."
Mr. Baker and other traders

who called this week's rebound normal in the face of last week's huge self-off, said they would not be surprised to see the Dow Jones average climb to 2,200 soon. Traders attributed Friday's rally

o several factors, including a more stable dollar. Gains in Asian and European stock markets also gave a boost to Wall Street. (Page 13.) They also said that many inves-tors continued to feel that the market was greatly oversold after the Oct 19 collapse, when the Dow dropped 508 points, and that many

stocks were "bargains."
For the second day in a row, prices also rose in active trading of over-the-counter and American Stock Exchange issues, but over the week those markets still lost

The buying enthusiasm on the NYSE began in earnest on Thurs-day when the Dow index climbed

Issues that gained on Friday amounted to almost 10 times those that lost ground.

Volume on the New York Stock and Italian lira.

Fachange amounted to about 303.36 million shares, up from 258.1 million on Thursday. volume to about 1.4 billion shares, second only to that of last week's,



President Ronald Reagan and Eduard A. Shevardnadze before Mr. Reagan announced that Mikhail S. Gorbachev posed for photographers at the White House on Friday will arrive in Washington on Dec. 7 for a summit meeting.

# EMS Takes Up the Strain of Falling Dollar

By Reginald Dale mal Herald Tribune

PARIS -At the end of a stormy ek in world foreign exchange markets, the European Communi ty's eight-nation currency bloc, the European Monetary System, appeared Friday to have weathered the latest buffeting by a tumbling

But government officials and private analysts warned that the system of jointly floating European exchange rates could come under further strain in the days ahead, particularly if the dollar continues

Tensions in the EMS were evident early in the week as funds deserting the dollar fled into the system's hardest currency, the Deutsche mark, pushing it upward against the weaker French franc

By Friday, however, the Bank of France seemed to have staved off initial pressure on the franc with what one official described as "ver impressive" defensive tactics. The threat of political tension between when more than 2,3 billion shares Bonn and Paris, often quick to sur-

It would allow the franc flexibility within those limits, so as to ab-**NEWS ANALYSIS** sorb any speculative attack, the central bank said. Anyone betting on a franc devaluation would "have

mination to defend the exchange

rate with a firm statement Friday

the permitted 2.25 percent EMS

that it would hold the franc within

to pay the price." The statement came as the mark was fixed at a record high of 3.39 francs in Paris. It was the third consecutive daily high this week. With the West German Bundesbank also hinting at some easing of its rigorous interest rate policy,

which would make marks marginally less attractive, the French franc may be let off the hook a little bit," said David M. Jones, chief economist at Aubrey G. Lanston & Co., a New York securities firm. Most analysts stressed, however, that with the world's markets on

tenterhooks from day to day, if not hour to hour, the EMS currency structure would remain precarious. Private economists did not rule out an early meeting of European finance ministers to discuss a possible realignment of the EMS ex-

change rates, in which the mark would be revalued against the weaker currencies. France and Italy are no longer prepared to raise interest rates to defend their currencies, said Bren-

Brown, chief economist at

ment bank. Against the back-ground of a falling dollar and a deteriorating world economic out-look, that made a realignment more likely, he said.

Mr. Brown and other analysts, however, said that much would depend on West German monetary policy next week, when the Bundesbank's intentions should become

Bonn on Friday announced a slight decline in interest rates on five-year Treasury and state bonds and said that it intended to "stabiinterest rates on a lasting ba-

These signals were "quite en-couraging," Mr. Brown said. If See EMS, Page 15



ALMOST BULLISH — A dealer on the floor of the London Stock Exchange wearing a hard hat Friday with the logo of British Petroleum Co. The government opted to proceed with a £7.2 billion offer of shares in the company despite the recent market rout. But underwriters who signed up to support the offer stand to lose £1 billion on paper. Page 11.

#### face at times of currency upheaval, had receded, the official said. The heavy trading came despite The Bank of France apparently See MARKETS, Page 10

House, in Reversal, Backs Tax Increase After a tough partisan fight that sent an uncertain signal to Wall
Street, the House of Representatives reversed itself and approved \$12
billion in tax increases to help reduce the U.S. federal deficit. Page 3.

#### Kiosk Italians Fail To Curb Strikes

ROME (Reuters) — Divi-sions in the Italian coalition government derailed an attempt Friday by Prime Minister Giovanni Goria to ban wildcat strikes that have caused weeks of chaos for air and rail travel-

weeks they will be

A statement issued after a live-hour cabinet meeting said Mr. Goria had put forward emergency measures requiring 15 days' advance notice for strikes in essential public sectors and maintenance of a skeleton service during any stop-page. The statement said that no agreement had been sreached.



El Greco's "Portrait of a Chevalier," in the Paris show, "From El Greco to Picasso." Page 6.

GENERAL NEWS

U.S. efforts to head off high technology smuggling to the So-Page 5. SPORTS

Thomas Hearns became the lifst man to win world boxing titles at four weights. Page 17.

Dow close: UP 55.20 The dollar in New York: DM £ Yen FF 1.729 1.722 138.40 5.8625

#### Rightists See Ginsburg as 'One of Us'

By Ruth Marcus and Al Kamen Washington Post Service
WASHINGTON — In nominat-

ing Judge Douglas H. Ginsburg to the Subreme Court, President Ronald Reagan has turned from one of the country's best-known conservative jurists to one whose views outside the field of antitrust and regulatory law are largely a mystery.
In contrast to Judge Robert H. Bork, Judge Ginsburg, a soft-spo-ken former Harvard Law School professor who has served on the federal court of appeals in Wash-ington for less than a year, has written little, if anything, on the contentions social issues he would

have to grapple with as a justice.

Although Judge Ginsburg is relatively little known, his conservative backers in the administration pushed for him above Judge Anthony M. Kennedy, the other leading candidate, largely because they believed Judge Ginsburg would be more "reliable," as one senior administration official put it, in adhering to conservative principles of judicial restraint.

Asked how the administration could be so certain Judge Ginsburg would not turn out to be a surprise on the court, one senior Justice Department official said confidently, based on private conversations with Judge Ginsburg "He's

one of us." [Judge Ginsburg began a quick round of courtesy calls on Senate leaders Friday, seeking support for the confirmation that the Senate denied Judge Bork, The Associated Press reported.]
Hi confirmed, Judge Ginsburg,

41, would be the second-youngest Supreme Court justice this century, after Justice William O. Douglas, who joined the court at 40. His champions say that, despite

ins youth, his impressive resume law review editor, Supreme Court clerk, law school professor and senior government official - illus-See COURT, Page 2

# Goat? Sheep? No, It's a Geep

U.S. Researchers Create Livestock and Controversy

By Keith Schneider

New York Times Service
DAVIS, California — Old MacDonald had a farm, and on that farm he had some geeps. In an experimental barnyard on the University of California's Davis campus, researchers are raising the world's largest herd of man-made livestock, a strange group of creatures with the face and horns of a goat and the body of a sheep.

Most of the geeps are still babies, peeking from behind the legs of their mothers, which are adult

But an adult geep gave birth to a sheep last summer. Goats have shown promise of bearing seeps. And more sheep are expected soon to have

Gary Anderson and his colleagues have made nine geeps by taking cells from a seven-day-old goat embryo, inserting them into a seven-day-old sheep embryo and then implanting the joint embryo into a ewe's womb.

Nowhere is the power of the new life-transforming techniques in animal biotechnology more clearly evident than in the open barns of this 79year-old university, a renowned center for farm research previously known best for developing square, thick-skinned processing tomatoes and huge machines to harvest them.

For years the university, which is near Sacramento, has been at the center of a national debate over its advocacy of an increasingly industrialized form of agriculture dependent on chemicals, ma-

chines and the ability to design plants and animals to fit that production system. With the development of the geeps, new criticism has erupted, even as supporters have been

energized, showering this campus in recent months with cheers and jeers.
The geeps are the handiwork of Mr. Anderson, a 40-year-old reproductive physiologist who prefers to call his creations chimeras.

In Greek mythology, chimeras were monstrous animals, part serpent, part lion and part goat.
Mr. Anderson's geeps, however, are neither horrible nor ugly. They are, he believes, intelligent, agile and sturdy.

Geeps just look strange. The oldest, Duchess, was born in April 1985 to a sheep. Duchess has the face and eyes of a goat, but the rest of her is quite sheepish: short legs, cleft hooves and thick wool.

Mr. Anderson insists that his research is invaluable for studying the functions and vital processes

of livestock pregnancies.
"We are learning about the nature of the barrier which prevents an embryo of one species from being carried to term by another species," he said. Understanding how the process works, Mr. Anderson added, could lead to important advances, including the ability to save endangered species by implanting fertilized eggs into more common ani-

mals that would act as surrogate mothers.

But ever since his research was nationally publicized in April, after the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office had said animals that were the "non-

See GEEP, Page 2

# Gorbachev and Reagan To Meet Dec. 7 in U.S. To Sign Missile Treaty

By Don Oberdorfer and Lou Cannon

Washington Post Service
WASHINGTON — President Ronald Reagan announced Friday that he and Mikhail S. Gorbachev would hold a summit meeting in Washington starting Dec. 7 to sign a treaty banning intermediate-range nuclear missiles and work toward a pact next year halving U.S. and Soviet strategic offensive

U.S. officials said the summit meeting was tentatively planned for three days, all of them in Washington, but that the Soviets had asked for flexibility in case Mr. Gorbachev decided to stay longer.

Mr. Reagan made the announce-ment in the presence of Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze, who arrived in Washington early Friday with a letter from Mr. Gor-

bachev proposing dates and an agenda for the meeting. A week earlier, Mr. Gorbachev had declined to set dates for the meeting, telling Secretary of State George P. Shultz in a Kremlin session that he did not "feel comfortable" in agreeing to come to Washington in the absence of assurances of major strides toward curbs on strategic defense.

With Mr. Shevardnadze looking on Friday, Mr. Reagan said: There's no way that we can give up SDi," referring to the spacesed Strategic Defense Initiative. He said that curbing strategic

defense "is no longer put down as a flat demand" by the Soviets as a required condition of the 50-percent cuts in strategic offensive arms that the two nations are seeking. A statement issued by the two

governments suggested the areas of potential negotiation on strategic defense, saying that, in Washing-ton, Mr. Reagan and Mr. Gorba-chev would consider instructions to their Geneva arms negotiators "on the observance of and non-withdrawal from the ABM Treaty for an agreed period."

Mr. Gorbachev, as recently as Oct. 23, proposed a 10-year nonterpretation of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty banning antimissile systems in space. The most recent U.S. proposal is for a 7-year

on what testing would be permitted during such a period and what would happen once it expired.

In comments to reporters, Mr. agrees to be interviewed, answered Reagan said he hoped to sign a treaty slashing strategic offensive day in the office of Valentin M.

arms by 50 percent in a return sum-

mit meeting in Moscow in the first half of next year. A White House official said that

agreement on a strategic arms ac-cord was "effectively linked" to Mr. Reagan's Moscow trip, suggesting that completion of a treaty or some very major progress would be necessary for the visit to take

■ Gorbachev Book Warning Mr. Gorbachev says in a forthcoming book that any delay of his economic reforms could cause a serious political crisis in the Soviet Union. The Associated Press reported from Moscow. .

Excerpts of the Soviet leader's ook appeared in the latest edition

of the weekly Moscow News. While promoting his reforms and criticizing some actions of pre-vious regimes. Mr. Gorbachev does not make a complete break with the

agriculture and rapid industrialization were necessary although there were serious errors, he said, and the Communist Party was justified in removing Nikita S. Khrushchev as the nation's leader in 1964.

Mr. Gorbachev has said he worked on the book. "Perestroika and New Thinking for Our Coun-try and the Whole World," during his vacation in August and September. He uses the word "perestroika," or restructuring, to describe his reform program.

The book is expected to be on sale in November.

"Perestroika is an urgent necessity. Any delaying of perestroika in the near future could aggravate the internal situation which, to put it straight, would contain a threat of a serious socio-economic and political crisis," Mr. Gorbachev says in

#### Soviet Marshal Sees Peril In SDI and Missile Cuts

By Bill Keller

New York Times Service MOSCOW - Soviet analysts say they believe deployment of President Ronald Reagan's antimissile defense system, coupled with an agreement to cut long-range nuclear weapons in half, could give the United States a decisive military advantage, the chief of the Soviet General Staff has de-

The official, Marshal Sergei F. Akhromeyev, said that if the two countries reduced their long-range nuclear arsenals to 6,000 warheads each, as they have agreed in principle to do, a defensive shield against nuclear weapons could be effective enough to pose a military threat. We are deeply convinced that creating a space-based defense for the territory of the United States

would radically step up the military threat toward the Soviet Union. Marshal Akhromeyev's remarks came in response to questions about why the Soviet Union was so

concerned about the proposed de-

questions for 45 minutes on Tues-

fense system, the Strategic Defense The two sides, however, disagree Initiative, when many American and Soviet experts contend such a shield would not be reliable. The military leader, who rarely

igency. Publication was delayed so the marshal could review a transcript of his remarks.

Marshal Akhromeyev, 64, said that in his view there could be no treaty reducing long-range weap-ons unless the United States also agreed to what Soviet officials call "strict adherence" to the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty, which restricts development of

space defenses, for at least 10 years Marshal Akhromeyev, one of three top deputies to the defense minister, General Dmitri T. Yazov, has often been at Mikhail S. Gorbachev's side during the negotia-tions on nuclear arms. He took part in the meetings last week between Secretary of State George P. Shultz and the Soviet leader at which the two sides remained at an impasse over the issue of space weapons.

In the interview and in writter answers to questions submitted be forehand. Marshal Akhromeye also made these points:

 The proposals by American officials to offset the abolition of medium-range nuclear weapons in Europe by adding more bombers and other weapons have aroused deep suspicion in the Soviet military about American good faith.

The Soviet military believes

the 1979 decision to intervene in Afghanistan "was not a mistake," Marshal Akhromeyev's view on See SDL Page 2

#### Latin Peace Plan Totters as Managua And Salvador Rebels Begin to Balk

the contras.

MANAGUA — The Central American peace plan appeared in jeopardy Friday after the Nicaraguan government and the leftist re-bels in El Salvador said they would refuse to take further steps in com-

pliance with the pact.
The Sandinists, hardening their position, announced in Managua on Thursday night that Nicaragua would neither lift its five-year-old state of emergency nor put into effect a broad political amnesty under the five-nation accord until all aid to the U.S.-backed rebels with the peace plan, signed Aug. 7 known as contras was ended.

In El Salvador, the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front guerrillas said they would not attend a new round of talks with the U.S.-backed Salvadoran govern-ment, which they blame for the slaying last Monday of a leading human rights campaigner.
The talks on a cease-fire in the

eight-year-old civil war in El Salvador had been due to begin in Mexi-

co on Friday.
To attend this meeting would only contribute to the creation of hopes and distract national and international attention from the murder," the rebels said in a statement on Thursday.

The two announcements came a week before the peace plan is scheduled to go into effect. The plan calls for, among other things, cease-fires in the civil wars in Nicaragua and El Salvador.

On Tuesday, President Oscar Arias Sánchez of Costa Rica, the architect of the plan, said that the negotiations among the five nations involved in the pact were "at an impasse" and that Nicaragua must make new concessions to enhance the peace process. The statement on Thursday in

Managua, issued by the Sandinist National Liberation Front after a daylong meeting of its most important members, significantly hard-ened Nicaragua's position in the peace process as the deadline next Thursday for compliance with the pact approaches.

The statement said that the gov

ernment "no way, nowhere, in Guatemala by the five Central through no intermediary, at no time will ever hold a political dia"We can't give an amnesty while

"We can't give an amnesty while logue" with the highest leaders of the mercenary forces continue to assassinate our brothers," the state-The Sandinist position paper ment said. "We can't suspend the was read in an hourlong speech at state of emergency while peasants, the assembly's close by the Sandinists' top ideologue, Bayardo Arce, are fired upon indiscriminately, who is also one of nine top Sandin-ist commanders. while the organized aggression of the United States, which is precise-The Sandinist statement was the ly what gave rise in the first place to

culmination of two weeks of tense the emergency, persists. The Reagan administration has debate within party ranks over how flexible the government should be said it will seek \$270 million in new See PACT, Page 2



Barbarians in Belgium?

Joseph Michel, the Belgian interior minister, offered to apologize Friday for referring to many of the nation's immigrants, mainly Moslems from Mediterranean countries, as "barbarians," Page 2.

By Youssef Ibrahim New York Times Service

PARIS - Parisian taxi drivers, in search of protection against thieves and muggers, have come up with the "blazing seat," an electric cushion slipped under the passenger seat that is attached to a powerful

At the touch of a button the device delivers 52,000 volts of low-tension electric current to the back of the spine. It works.

"I just shot straight up and let out a stration for the world press at the Place de tremendous yell," said Jon Silverman, a la Concorde. correspondent who asked to try it out a few days ago for a BBC report. "Gave myself a terrific bruise on the shin when my head hit the front seat as I jumped up to escape the shock. I don't think it's a good idea."

The device is slightly more powerful than the police weapon known as the stun gun, which delivers about 40,000 to 50,000

If a Parisian taxi drivers' union has its way, it will install the device, which costs about \$1,100, in most of the 14,300 cabs of the city.

Five taxis are already equipped with it. The supplier, Lucien Cornescu, who represents a company called Recomex, says 1,000 more devices are on order.

By Glenn Frankel

Washington Past Service
JERUSALEM — A special in-

vestigative committee reported Fri-day that agents of the Shin Bet internal security service routinely

used "physical pressure" to extract

confessions from Arab suspects

and then lied about those methods

in court. But the report recom-

mended that no agents be prosecut-

The report said that such prac-

tices "must be pulled out by the

roots." But the apologetic tone and

lack of punitive recommendations were likely to be seen by many as

The report seemed to reflect a

consensus among Israelis that al-though abuses of power were un-fortunate, the Shin Bet nonetheless

deserves public support because of

the difficult nature of its task of

preventing terrorism and enforcing security laws in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, most of whose Arab

residents oppose Israeli rule. Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir

said that although he had not yet read the report. "I don't think it

will have a negative impact on the

"I know very well that they are

doing a very professional job, and they will continue to do it," he said. The public section of the report,

which was made public by Mr. Shamir's office on the eve of the Jewish

sabbath, apparently in an attempt

to dull its impact, described a lo-year abuse of Israel's judicial sys-tem that it said was either winked

at or actively encouraged by senior

The "distressing and regretta-

ble" result, the report said, was that

the agency "permitted itself to vio-late the law systematically and over

a long period of time by agreement.

approval and even encouragement of perjury in the courts."

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Israeli Inquiry Finds

**Agents Beat Suspects** 

Aides to Prime Minister Jacques Chirac, who is also the mayor of Paris, privately ridiculed the idea. The police are skeptical. The hot seat's main champion, Norbert rolls by. Ben-Arous, the secretary-general of an organization representing the owners of about 20 percent of Parisian taxis, says the

project is forging ahead "In France anything that is not forbid-den is allowed," he said Thursday after emerging, slightly pale, from a live demon-

Spurred on by the recent murder of a woman who drove a cab, drivers insist they need stronger protection.

But judging from the horror stories that some Parisians tell of their daily duel with taxi drivers, this view is not widely shared. Complaints range from the common impression that most drivers spend much of their time going home - routinely dismissing a fare because "it's not on my way" —
to reports of being curily told that "there
are no taxis, call later," after a long wait on
the phone for a radio-dispatched taxi.

in one case, a driver's dog -a common sight in the front seat — assaulted a pas-senger, Jean-François Kahn, as he reached past the muzzle to pay the fare.

tion of criminal procedures"

against those agents responsible.

The report also endorsed the use

of "nonviolent psychological pres-

sure" against suspects and added that when this was not sufficient.

"moderate physical pressure may

The panel did not specify what it meant by either term, but the secret

section of the report, submitted to

Mr. Shamir, is expected to contain a set of detailed guidelines for in-terrogations and other practices.

In the past, according to testimony in several court cases and admis-

tions. The report says they they

then lied in court so that suspects

the blame first to a senior army

Last May, the Israeli Supreme Court ruled that Lieutenant Izat

Nafsu, a non-Arab Moslem in the

Israeli Army, had been framed by

Shin Bet agents and unjustly sen-

tenced to 18 years in prison after

tainted confession.

Yet, although the panel condemned the abuses, it concluded that Shin Bet had stopped, and it recommended that "the national security interest dictates the cessariation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip in 1967 and took firm hold by 1971.

being beaten and mistreated into a

The three-member commission,

appointed by Mr. Shamir and

headed by retired Supreme Court justice, Moshe Landau, confirmed

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It is not that taxis are unregulated in Paris. Rules say they must post the time for ending their service in the back window and cannot refuse any ride until half an hour before that time.

Passengers can also complain to police headquarters, where a special board holds regular sessions. It seems to make little ference, though

To be sure, taxi drivers have their own complaints. Fares are low. Taxes are high. Noise is incessant.

"The traffic is awful," complained Paul de Angelis, the son of a taxi driver who has driven a Parisian cab himself for 17 years. "A few years ago I could take in as much as 30 fares a day. Today I average 13 to 15." Above all there is the danger, Mr. Ben-Arous says, and the police confirm that an average of 40 assaults on taxi drivers are reported each month.

The recent killing was the 19th of a taxi driver since 1979.

"We are not like sheep, waiting to be slaughtered," Mr. Ben-Arous said.

For riders of African or Arab origin, it is Mr. Chirac's staff in City Hall says there

One is a bulletproof bubble installed around the driver, and another is a safe deposit box in which the driver's money can be locked.

It was even suggested that riders buy an electronic credit card and pay with it. Predictably, drivers say none of the proposed alternatives is worthwhile.

"Most turned down the bubble, even though we offered to subsidize it," said Jean-Pierre Richer, the traffic director at the Paris police. "They like to gossip with the clients. It helps with the tip." Instead, the taxi drivers want subsidies

to purchase the hot seat. What about accidental use? Or will angry drivers settle even simple arguments by sending some "juice," as Mr. de Angelis calls the electric current, to the back seat?

"No way," Ben-Arous said. The device has a three-step trigger mechanism. A driver turns it on with a button. arms it with another and triggers it with a

third. It unlocks in case of an accident. Besides, taxi drivers "can tell when a guy has bad intentions," he argued. "Good family men have nothing to worry about."

#### **Belgian Aide** Calls Moslem **Immigrants** 'Barbarians'

By Joseph Fitchett International Herald Tribune

PARIS — The Belgian interior minister has warned that the presence of Arab and other immigrants could bring political instability to Belgium. He described the immigrants grants, mainly Moslems from Mediterranean countries, as "barbar-

Joseph Michel, the interior minister in the caretaker government, offered Friday to apologize if any-one was offended by his remarks. Mr. Michel had said in French to a Dutch-language magazine, Ex-clusief: We risk being like the Ro-mans — invaded by barbarians. The barbarians are the Arabs, the Moroccans, the Turks and the Yu-

goslavs."
"You can't call them anything he continued in a recording of his interview broadcast Friday over the Belgian French-language radio station RTBF. Referring to the immerant workers, Mr. Michel said that they "are people who come from very far away and who have nothing in common with our

Denying that he had any racist intentions in making the remarks, Mr. Michel said through a spokes-man at the Interior Ministry that he used the word "barbarian" in "its original sense, which means for-

Michel said that "it is in this etymological sense that one should understand my declarations. Any other interpretation can only be considered as malevolent on the part of those who seem to wish to get up a plot against me."
"If, despite the clarifications I

make, some people still consider themselves wounded, I would regret it deeply and I would not hesitate for a moment to apologize to them," he said.

In Ankara, the Turkish Foreign Ministry condemned Mr. Michel's remarks, but it said the matter was too trivial to affect friendly rela-

tions between the two countries.

In Brussels, the influx of immigrant workers has caused some poorer neighborhoods to acquire a foreign ethnic character, causing resentment among Belgian resi-dents. Their grievances have of-fered an electoral platform to some extremist local politicians.

"It's not serious, it's just foolish and stopid," said Guy Depas, an editor at the Brussels newspaper Le Soir. "Anyway, Mr. Michel already has had his last ministerial job."

#### **Judge Operated Dating Service**

New York Times Service WASHINGTON - It is the most unusual entry on the resume of Judge Douglas H. Ginsburg, President Ronald Reagan's nominee for the Supreme Court

According to a spokesman. Judge Ginsburg left college for more than a year in the mid-1960s and founded a nationwide computer-dating service known as Operation Match. For a fee, the company arranged blind dates through the use of computerized data gathered from questionnaires.

The spokesman, W. Stephen Cannon, said the company, which the judge created with two other men, once had offices in New York, Cambridge, Massachusetts, Chicago and Los Angeles. "It was the first company of the co puter dating service," said Mr. Cannon, who was Judge Ginsburg's deputy in the Justice Department's antitrust division.

Judge Ginsburg, the spokes man said, received "less than \$10,000" from the sale of his interest in the company.

theoretical level about his views of the constitution from which he then deduced his attitude on all sorts of issues." Mr. Scott said. "Ginsburg is completely different.
Ginsburg is a guy who doesn't start
with a theory. He doesn't try to
pigeonhole it into a grand theory of anything."

#### WORLD BRIEFS

7th Game in Chess Event Is Adjourned

SEVILLE. Spain (Renters) — The seventh game of the world championship was adjourned with the challenger, Anatoli Karpov, and ing his 42d move against the champion, Gam Kasparov.

Experts said Mr. Karpov had chances to win the game when play

resumes Saturday. Mr. Karpov leads the match 3.5 points to 2.5, with two victories, one loss and three draws. The title will go to the first player to accumulate 12.5 points or to win six games.

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Mozambique Says Rebels Kill 211

MAPUTO, Mozambique (AFP) — The Mozambique New Agency said Friday that rebels of the Mozambique National Resistance movement ambushed and killed 211 people Thursday in a convoy of vehicles on the main north-south road about 50 miles (80 kilometers) north of

Eighty vehicles were destroyed in the attack, which occurred in the Taninga area, journalists returning from the scene reported. The rebels are widely believed to be trained and supplied by South Africa, but the

Pretoria government has denied it.

Mozambique authorities insist that the rebels receive logistic support from South Africa. Military sources say that the upsurge of rebel activity was due to "massive infiltration" of rebels across the South African

#### In a statement later Friday, Mr. Pope Closes Synod on Role of Laymen

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope John Paul II closed a monthlong synod of bishops Friday, saying that the prelates had raised "profound and stimulating" ideas on the role of women and youth in the church and

The synod, an advisory body convened to examine the role of lay Catholics, ended with a Mass in St. Peter's Basilica celebrated by the pope and more than 200 bishops. In final recommendations sent to the pope, the bishops condemned discrimination against women. But they dropped specific proposals by U.S. bishops for opening all nonordained ministrices.

Vatican security men grabbed an unarmed American near the end of Friday's service as he rushed toward the pope screaming. A Vaticaa spokesman identified the man as Thomas Siemer, 57, of Columbus, Ohio, who said he wanted to tell the pontiff about his ideas on peace and

#### Jetliner and Cargo Plane Nearly Hit NEW YORK (NYT) — A Pan American World Airways jetliner came

within about 50 feet (15 meters) of hitting a DC-3 cargo plane Tuesday night shortly before the two planes landed at St. Croix, Virgin Islands, government and airline officials said.

The crew of the Pan Am Boeing 727 told company officials that they had not seen the cargo plane until they turned on their landing lights at an altitude of 700 to 800 feet. The DC-3 was 150 to 175 feet ahead of them. and only a sharp climb to the left averted a collision, they said. The jetliner was flying from Miami with 60 people on board. The DC-3, it piston-engine craft, was operated out of Miami by Carib Air Cargo Late.

The incident was one of the most disturbing in a continuing series of near collisions involving airliners. Federal Aviation Administration again.

cy figures show that, from January through September of this year, activities collisions of all types increased to 857 from 628 for the same period the

#### For the Record

The House and Senate committees investigating the Iran-contra affair missed the deadline Friday to submit their reports. Because of processi and declassification delays, Congress agreed to give them two more we to submit their conclusions.

#### TRAVEL UPDATE

#### Mali Is Hit by Yellow Fever Epidemie

GENEVA (AP) — A yellow fever epidemic has hit Mali, killing 130 people since last month, the World Health Organization reported Friday.

A total of 270 cases have been recorded since the outbreak was discovered Sept. 21 in the country's southern part, which includes the capital, Bamako. The organization urged foreign travelers to get vaccinations. Yellow fever is usually carried by mosquitoes and can kill within a week in severe cases. Symptoms include fever, aches and vomiting.

# Senate Votes to Protect Air Travelers

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Senate passed wide-ranging legislation. Friday that would require airlines to report on their quality of services mandate drug testing for airline employees and provide consumers with

mandate drug testing for airline employees and provide consumers with 24-hour toll-free number to file complaints.

The Air Passenger Protection Act of 1987, approved 89-5, will now be melded with similar House legislation in a conference committee. The measure would require airlines to report on such matters as the percentage of flights on time, how much luggage has been lost, the number of passengers denied boarding and the number of flights canceled.

The bill would require that airline ticket and travel agents have information in their computers showing how close to schedule each U.S. airline flight was, on average, the previous month. The rest of the performance information would have to be available to traveless at airports and publicized by the Department of Transportation.

Humanians will be able to travel to the West as often as they wish.

Hungarians will be able to travel to the West as often as they wisher beginning in Jamuary, the official Hungarian news agency MTI reported. At present, Hungarians may travel to the West only once every three

years, or annually if they receive invitations. Sudan's national carrier, Sudan Airways, has suspended all flights for 10 days starting on Friday to allow for a major overhaul of its services, the state-run radio reported.

(Regies)

#### SDI: Soviet Military Chief Foresees an Imperiled Moscow official Soviet pronouncements on "Given this number of warhead

this issue appears to be in contrast to those of some Soviet political leaders, who have expressed regret

about the intervention. • The Kremlin will make its first

- reflects only personnel, pensions, training and logistics, and does not include any of the money for development and acquisition of

Marshal Akhromeyev avoided answering several questions, the subjects of which included the

weapons are abolished. Marshal Akhromeyev, who On some questions, he seemed

Soviet political leaders like Mr. Gorbachev usually criticize Mr. Reagan's Strategic Defense Initiative, popularly known as "star wars," on the ground that it would lead to a dangerous and economi-

those points, but he underscored a different concern to explain the thinking of military planners. He portrayed Mr. Reagan's anti-

neutralize the threat of nuclear come practical until the distant fuweapons, as a deliberate attempt to ture."

heads on each side," he said.

on each side," he said, "it is poss ble, at least in theory, to create

Marshal Akhromeyev did not suggest that a space-based defease could successfully protect the limit ed States from a devastating ancie ar attack. It was clear from his comments that he meant such a system would enable the United States to attack the Soviet Union and then fend off enough of the retaliatory strike to claim victory.

To military strategists, such a theoretical advantage is itself enormously valuable, since it would give one side a psychological edge in a crisis.

Developing an effective SDI sys-tem in the absence of a long-range missile defense program, which the president describes as an effort to "cither impossible or will not be-

gain military superiority.

The United States is working in the absence of an arms treat in the Soviet military would certainly an SDI system. for itself, and at the same time to but he declined to say whether it would do so by building more of

sions by agents, the Shin Bet has routinely beaten, kicked and punched suspects, hooded them and subjected them to sleep depri-A mother geep, right, with her offspring in a pen at the University of California at Davis. vation and cold showers and threatened them with violence GEEP: Scientists Stir Debate With Man-Made Livestock Agents have justified these practices by saying they were necessary to extract information quickly to prevent prospective terrorist acnaturally occurring manufactures"

of people could be patented, Mr.

Anderson has been criticized by advocates of animal rights, who say indicated as much Friday when he they believed to be guilty would not said that although he had not yet go free because of tainted confessuch tinkering violates the sanctity The agency has been under fire Because geeps are formed from cells of sheep and goat embryos, ewes would ordinarily be expected since 1984 when it was revealed that senior members clubbed to death two captured Palestinian bus to abort the pregnancies as foreign hijackers, covered up the killings and, when exposed, sought to shift

military aid for the contras, but in recent days the administration has The Sandinists said Nicaragua

request for money until after a met as they are written. The text of

indicated that it would delay a new would insist that the accords

sess the progress of the plan.

The Sandinist statement said political opposition groups.

Nicaragua would move forward

a lamb whose embryo had been geep unless Mr. Anderson specifi-ransplanted into her womb by Mr. cally places a geep embryo in her But in most cases the implanted

Anderson in February. Now the

The pact does say governments

must lift any state of emergency to

to foreign aid to guerrilla armies in

But shifting pressures and events since Aug. 7 have moved the pact in

new directions. Nicaragua has been

pressed to hold talks with the con-

Nicaragua "will defend its right not to accept any demand which is not in the text of the accords," the

Sandinist statement said. But it said Nicaragua intended to comply "to the letter" with the agreement.

Costa Rican officials were opti-

mistic last week that the cease-fire talks might take place, based on indications received from the Nica-

raguan leader, Daniel Ortega Saa-

vedra. But as disagreement inside the Sandinist party continued, Nic-araguan officials returned to their

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stout mother and the slim lamb share a pen.

Mr. Anderson is seeking to breed Duckess to a ram to prove that she ovulates and is capable of producing her own young, which would be lambs. In June, in a test of her reproduc-tive capabilities, Duchess acted as a surrogate mother and gave birth to She will never be able to produce a

Someday he hopes to breed her

#### PACT: Latin Peace Plan Tottering COURT: (Continued from Page 1) mand that outside powers halt aid Right Hails Judge

trates his qualifications for the high

meeting in January at which the the sweeping agreement does not five regional presidents are to assess the progress of the plan. COURT Senate confirmation proceedings are likely to center on controversy over the regulatory and antitrust policies that Judge Ginsburg helped carry out as an administrawith new measures when the coarra must lift any state of emergency to aid was stopped "with no subterfuge or delaying maneuvers." The peace pact calls on signers to detion official from 1983 to 1986.

Four years ago, Judge Ginsburg was an antitrust professor at Har-vard Law School, unknown to Atthe region, must go into effect at the same time in all five countries. cials who urged Mr. Reagan this

week to nonmate him.

But Judge Ginsburg fit in confortably with the administration and its free-market, deregulatory pressed to holo tails with the cause and its free-market, utilizations tras to reach a cease-fire, because and its free-market, utilizations philosophy.

El Salvador and Guatemala imitation philosophy.

While still teaching at Harvard, he argued at a debate on automo-

bile safety regulations that regula-tions "stifled innovation," said Joan Claybrook, director of the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration in the Car-ter administration.

"He judges whether or not stan-dards ought to be issued for safety on the basis of their economic viability," said Ms. Claybrook, now president of Public Citizen, the lobbying group started by Ralph Na-

Judge Ginsburg's friends de-scribed him as a private man who rarely discusses political issues or offers his views on social issues.

"Doug's very professionally ori-ented," said a Harvard Law School professor. Hal Scott, who has known Judge Ginsburg since they went to high school together in Chi-cago, where the judge's father owned a finance company.

"I guarantee you if anybody would know what his personal views would be, I would, and I son 11,00. Tel. (08) 151225, a. Scott said. "He's a private person. He keeps his views to himself. If we

staked out his position on a very

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number of Soviet soldiers killed and wounded in Afghanistan, the size of the Soviet military budget and his personal feelings about the prospect of defending the vast So-viet border with China if nuclear

wears 10 rows of decorations and the gold star that marks a Hero of the Soviet Union, was genial and straightforward in conversation, but was careful not to go beyond

most issues.

bound by the same sense of mili-space-based nuclear shield. tary decorum and service loyalty found in the Pentagon. He denied there was any waste in Soviet military spending. He scoffed at the idea of military resistance to Mr. Gorbachev's arms control efforts.

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# In Divisive Poll, House Votes \$12 Billion in Tax Cont Deficit

By Jonathan Fuerbringer

bruising partisan fight that sent an accounting gimmicks. uncertain signal to Wall Street, the House of Representatives, by one rote, has reversed itself and approved \$12 billion in tax increases to help reduce the federal deficit. The vote Thursday night on the

plan, which would cut the deficit by \$14.4 billion, was 206-205. The Democratic leadership won

winning a last-second switch by Representative Jim Chapman, Democrat of Texas. As Speaker Jim Wright held the

Say - Rebels Kill 20 est recent House votes. Only one Republican, Representative James M. Jeffords of Vermont, voted with 205 Democrats to pass the bill. The slim victory for the Demo-

cratic leadership came after an em-reverse the setback caused when 48

avoid as they work in approximate the signal of some will send a signal of that they hope will send a signal of unity to the nervous financial mar-

> Democratic leaders contended that the package is the basis of its negotiating position in those talks, which are aimed at reducing the deficit by at least \$23 billion.

the package's tax increases, and some Democrats argued that the timing of the plan was wrong com-ing in the midst of the White House-congressional budget negotistions. In addition, they objected to including a major new spending program in the bill, a new welfare program that would cost \$1.7 billion over three years.

But the battle seemed less dis-

raptive to the budget negotiations, which continued for the fourth day Friday, than to the relationship be-tween the parties in the House. The way the Democrats won Thursday could make it harder for both par ties in the House to cooperate in

Thursday night now goes to the be changed to incorporate whatever compromise plan may be worked our in the budget negotiations. If there is no agreement in those talks before Nov. 20, \$23 billion in spending cuts demanded by the re-vised budget-balancing law will go into effect automatically.

The \$14.4 billion package in-

'Aggressive' Begging

Seattle has banned aggressive

begging, an ever more common sight in American cities. A new

law passed 7-0 by the City

Council makes it a misdemean-

\$500 and 90 days in jail.

or punishable by a fine of up to

"Aggressive" panhandling is defined as "with intent to in-timidate." A police official told The New York Times this in-

chides blocking a pedestrian's

path, touching a person, tug-ging on clothing, following a pedestrian, operating in groups

to surround a person and creat-

The new ordinance replaces

one that required the police to have a complainant who would

testify in court. Few complain-ants would bother. So few pan-

handlers stopped begging. The

new law says police testimony is

A spokesman said the council

was concerned that persistent

beggars were deterring shop-

pers, tourists and conventioners

Jerry Sheehan of the Ameri-

can Civil Liberties Union says

the ordinance interferes with

the free speech of beggars. Ad-

vocates for the homeless, while

generally agreeing that hustlers have become too importunate, are demanding more city re-

sources for housing Seattle's es-

timated 3,200 homeless citizens

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of the U.S. Capitol building has been completed nine months

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million, or \$20 million less than

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said the time and money were

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Outlawed in Seattle

By Jonathan Fuerbringer cludes \$2.5 billion in spending reductions, many of which oppo-WASHINGTON — After a nents of the measure view as

The tax increases include an extension of the 3 percent telephone excise tax, a repeal of cuts in the top estate and gift tax rate, an end to the interest deduction for home mortgages over \$1 million and the repeal of an accounting tax break used by defense contractors. The bill also includes a tax intended to discourage hostile corporate take-overs, which some investors say contributed to the market crash.

The bill became a partisan issue partly because it was written without any Republican participation and before the turmoil in the stock

The package runs counter to the pledges of bipartisan cooperation and the calls from Wall Street to reduce the deficit without resorting to one-time accounting savings or

In the plan approved Thursday evening \$1.24 billion of the spending reductions for the 1988 fiscal year, which began Oct. 1, come from delaying the payment of some farm subsidies into the 1989 fiscal year. In addition, the package assumes a \$962 million savings on pay increases becames it includes a 3 percent instead of a 4 percent pay increase for civilian and military employees. And the package projects a savings of \$29 million from the required labeling of frozen piz-zas that used artificial cheese.

The package also increases spending for Medicaid and includes a host of special tax breaks that help projects or companies in many members' districts.



REQUEST IN MANAGUA — Members of the Movement of Mothers of Political Prisoners at a rally in Mana-

# Indians Say Managua Broke Its Promise

By James LeMoyne New York Times Service SAN JOSE, Costa Rica — The top exiled political leaders of the Miskito Indians and other indige-

accused the Nicaraguan government of reneging on a promise to begin peace talks with Indian rebel officials. Last week, it appeared that the ruling Sandinists in Nicaragua

ing talks that the Indian leaders found unacceptable. Mr. Rivera warned that without a negotiated settlement, the north-em Nicaraguan coast, which is the Indians' homeland, would remain a

were willing to allow 10 rebel leaders of the Indian and the black would refuse to accept the govern-Creoles to fly to Managua, without conditions, to discuss a proposal to

42, a farmer.

stands for.

Having first told the Indian leaders that they would not have to

But a Miskito leader, Brooklyn Rivera, said Thursday that the San-Miskito Indians and other indige-nous peoples of Nicaragua have and imposed conditions for open-to Managua, Mr. Rivera said, the Sandinists unexpectedly reversed their position at the last moment They also demanded that the Indians change the name of their politi-

> The Indian group is known by war zone and that the Indians the Miskito name "Yatama, which means "the organization of ment's authority. the nations of Mother Earth," Mr.
> "If the Sandinistas want to ex-

> > tered in a separate, broader tele-

phone survey taken the night of the debate by SRI Research Center

Inc., a Nebraska marketing firm.

That survey of 400 Republicans in Iowa, New Hampshire and the

end the six-year conflict with the clude us, there won't be a solution," Earth" was the Indians' name for Miskitos and other groups.

Mr. Rivera said.

Earth" was the Indians' name for their homeland along the North

An Indian leader, Steadman Fa-oth, said the Sandinists objected to the idea of the Indians' considering themselves a separate nation. Mr. Rivera said it appeared that the Sandinists reconsidered their

offer to talk to Indian leaders after deciding that allowing them to come to Managua without first acbacked rebel army.

Leaders of the rebels, known as contras, have demanded that they be allowed to go to Managua to negotiate with the Sandinists, and they have refused a Sandinist demand that they accept amnesty. The Sandinists have said they will jail any contra leader who goes to Managua without accepting am-

In 1981 and 1982, the Sandinists shot several Indians, burned many of their villages, imprisoned their ders and forced thousands of Indians into government camps. More than 12,000 Indians fled to southern "Super Tuesday" states found that Mr. Bush was judged to

have "won" by 34 percent of the In the last year and a half, howviewers. He was trailed by Mr.
Robertson with 15 percent; Mr.
Robertson with 15 percent; Mr.
Kemp and Mr. Dole, both 14 percent; "Don't know," 8 percent; and Mr. du Pont and Mr. Haig, 6 percent and return to their villages.

In the Dallas County group, Mr.

But a fitful guerrilla war goes on in the isolated coastal swamps and But a fitful guerrilla war goes on his loyalty and support of the pro- savannahs of the north coast and, according to Miskito leaders, their When Mr. Bush described the people harbor a deep distrust of the Sandinists. Several thousand Indians remain in refugee camps in Honduras.

Mr. Rivera and other Miskito leaders in Costa Rica said they had agreed to discuss seven points with the Sandinists: autonomy, the return of all refugees, reconstruction of destroyed villages, indemnifica-tion for damages, the reintegration of Miskito political groups, the re-integration of guerrilla fighters and

sick of war and exile and were sin-

"We have been in an unequal war for seven years," he said. "We have suffered too much."

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## **Aquino Tries to Allay** Fears Over Terrorism

By Keith B. Richburg Washington Post Service

MANILA - President Corazon C. Aquino said Friday that she did not believe that the slayings of three Americans on Wednesday near Clark Air Base represented a new threat to U.S. military and business interests in the Philip-

Mrs. Aquino made her comments as a Communist urban terror group disavowed any role in the

In remarks to foreign reporters, Mrs. Aquino also tried to allay the growing fears of her Southeast Asian neighbors that the instability and spiraling cycle of violence may make it too dangerous for Manila to press ahead with plans to hold a regional summit meeting scheduled mid-December.

Several officials and diplomats from countries in the Association of Southeast Asian Nations have voiced reservations about traveling to Manila for the forum. The shootings of the three Americans were

expected to reinforce those fears.
"The summit meeting will go
through as mentioned in Decem-ber," Mrs. Aquino said. She said Philippine security officials were already meeting with their counter-parts in the other five ASEAN captals and are "taking all measures to ensure that each head of state and head of government be given maxi-

The six ASEAN nations are the Philippines, Thailand, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore and Brunei. Mrs. Aquino told the foreign re-porters she had not received a full report on the killings outside Clark cepting an amnesty would set a Air Base in Angeles City, and she precedent that could be invoked by said reports that the Alex Bonthe leaders of the main Americancayao Brigade, the armed urban terrorist wing of the Communist New People's Army, was behind the killings were still "unvalidat-

> Two American servicemen, a retired U.S. serviceman and a Filipi-no were killed in four coordinated attacks outside the base.

> When asked if the situation had deteriorated to the point where American interests in the Philippines were in danger, Mrs. Aquinc replied curtly, "I don't think so."

ity for the killings and saying that it

The Alex Boncayao Brigade issued a statement Friday in Manila denying that it made a telephone call Thursday claiming responsibil-

had nothing to do with the Wednesday shootings. The statement said the brigade operated ex-clusively in Manila, while the at-tacks took place in Angeles City,

Pampanga Province, north of here. The U.S. Embassy here, meanwhile, was advising Americans to take "appropriate security precau-tions" because more attacks against U.S. citizens might come. An embassy spokesman, Mary

Carlin, reading the advisory over the U.S. armed forces television station, said the shootings "were apparently directed toward official Americans, and two of the three were in military uniform."

Clark remained under intense security Friday, and U.S. officials continued to restrict travel off the base to the most essential trips.

Most analysts believe the murders were perpetrated by either Communist assassination squads, known as "sparrow units," or renegade rightist military officers. Both groups share a common aim; to destabilize the Aquino government and perhaps provoke her into taking a dramatic step such as declaring martial law or a state of emer-

Many analysts suspect that rightist military rebels may have killed the American servicemen. knowing that the Communists would be blamed.

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only after holding the roll-call open beyond the usual 15 minutes and

vote open, Republicans shouted bush league!" and called for an end to the vote in one of the unruli-

barrassing defeat earlier in the day for Mr. Wright, also a Texas Dem-ocrat, who had to employ a rarely used parliamentary maneuver to

Democrats voted against him.
The initial defeat -- 217-203 on a procedural vote — sparked a day-long political confrontation of the kind that the White House and congressional leaders are trying to avoid as they work in separate ne-

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But Republicans, who opposed

approving a final compromise.

It has totally broken down cooperation between Democrats and Republicans," said Representative Connie Mack 3d, Republican of Florida. Thave absolutely no respect for him Wright."

The bill the House approved For 15 Iowans, It's Bush by a Country Mile By Paul Taylor

Washington Post Service CLIVE, Iowa — In this little corner of the world, Vice President George Bush was the star of the

self, properly loyal to his boss, and — in a word that does not often creen into the same sentence with his name — strong. "I'd feel comfortable being in the same foxhole with George Bush," Don Langford, 53, a farmer, mused

moments after watching the debate on television Wednesday night with a group of neighbors. the most was right off when he said,
'After seven years of loyalty, why
would I criticize Reagan now?"
said Carol Wise, 40, who works at a local farm museum. "That gave me a feeling of strength in the man—that he's willing to stand by what

"He was very stable and steady, yet with enough wit to return the fire of the others," said Wilma

The three were among 15 Dallas

ington Post. From "Black Thursday," Oct. 24, to the end of the year, 100 suicides and

attempted suicides were reported by The New York Times. Eight of these 100 jumped from

buildings, bridges, boats or au-planes. Of these eight death

leaps, four were attributed to

losses suffered in the crash. Two were in the Wall Street

area. On the other hand, the

rate for suicides of all kinds,

which had climbed steadily dur-

ing the prosperous 1920s, peaked in 1932 when 17.4 of

every 100,000 Americans took

their own lives, a record high. The national figure for 1985

When McDonald's Corp.

warmed Quality Inns Interna-tional Inc. not to use the name

McSleep Inn for a new chain of

cut-rate hotels. Quality sued

McDonald's for harassment. McDonald's has challenged the

use of the Mc prefix for compa-

ny names in the past, especially when they have been associated

with food. It stopped a New York eatery from calling itself McBagel. Quality officials said that since their McSleep line

serves no food, there should be

no conflict. The case is pending.

Women who hold paying jobs may also have to do the house-work but so do men, James A.

Gregson wrote in a letter to the

Los Angeles Times: "Who do

you think planted and main-

tained a garden, mowed the lawn, unplugged drains, swept the pario, fixed the car, built

and installed new kitchen cabi-

nets, painted the bathroom,

bathed the dog, built a dog-

house, climbed on the roof to

install the television antenna,

replaced the bathroom sink

When a guinnan fired at Car-

los Montalvo, an agent with the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobac-

co and Firearms, the bullet

struck the agent's gun, lodging within the barrel. "I could not

even begin to tell you the odds on this," said Lieutenant Doug-

las Falk of the Hialcah, Florida,

police department. "The gun, in

-ARTHUR HIGBEE

fact, saved his life."

pruned the trees and so on?"

he's already committed to."

Hall, 48. a homemaker.

**AMERICAN TOPICS** 

County Republicans, nearly all of cial issues confirmed the worst sus-whom are undecided on a candi-date. unscientifically chosen by Republicans. "I know the kind of the confirmed the worst sus-me major exception in the view of Mr. Robertson, the group's reac-tions closely resembled views regisdate, unscientifically chosen by The Washington Post to watch the

debate and comment afterward. first Republican presidential debate of the 1988 campaign.

He came across as calm, steady, seasoned, comfortable with himself, properly loyal to his boss, and optimism struck a welcome in a word that down not often chord or a start that though now chord in a state that, though now beginning to recover, endured a harsh stretch of farm failures and loss in land values in the mid-80s.

On the minus side: The aggressive style of the former Delaware governor, Pierre S. du Pont 4th, and his proposal to wip out farm subsidies were unpopular with several viewers who had started the

Former Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr.'s tightly wound demeanor unnerved several in the

By Tim Page
New York Times Service
NEW YORK — Woody Her-

man, 74, a clarinetist from Milwan-

kee who led one of the most varied,

durable and successful of the big

bands, died Thursday in Los Ange-

Mr. Herman suffered from con-gestive heart failure, emphysema

and paeumonia, according to a hospital spokesman. Mr. Herman was admitted to the coronary in-

tensive-care unit March 26 because

altitude sickness during a tour through Colorado and Utah, his

manager, Tom Cassidy, said. Over a career that lasted half a

century, Mr. Herman led a succes-

sion of ensembles — generally call-ing each one his "Thundering Herd" — in a wide spectrum of popular music from blues to bop to

The songs most closely associated with Mr. Herman include "Woodchoppers' Ball," "I've Got the World on a String," "Apple Honey," "Summer Sequence," "Four Brothers," "Caklonia," and the group's theme song, "Blue Flame." Mr. Herman conducted

the band, played clarinet and saxo-

phone, and sang in a light baritone

voice that was warm and musical

certain basic consistencies in Woody Herman's so-called Thun-dering Herds, John S. Wilson

wrote in a 1980 review for The New

York Times. "The level of musi-

cianship has been high, the age lev-

el has been low, the numover in

personnel has been frequent and,

primarily because of the last factor,

some of his orchestras have been

Michael James wrote in the New

Grove Dictionary of American Music: "Although Herman's in-

strumental expertise was consider-

able, his essential importance was

"His rare ability to assemble and

sustain bands notable both for

even more deeply, confirming his

"Year by year, there have been

rock and beyond.

and slightly bluesy.

better than others."

as an organizer.

of effects of medication taken for

Iowa.

people who follow Pat Robertson, and the word compromise isn't in their vocabulary," said Sam Wise,

Senator Bob Dole, Republican

of Kansas, who had a slight lead over Mr. Bush in the most recent

lowa poll by The Des Moines Reg-

ister, drew a mixed response. Sever-

al complimented him for his legis-lative and problem-solving skills, but others left wondering what he

Those who participated in the viewing group live about a half-hour west of Des Moines in Dallas

County, a mix of small towns, big farms and creeping exurbia. It is a

county where Republican Party

ears with an influx of newcomers scars are still fresh.

posed medium-range arms treaty. regulars have tangled in recent

cars are still fresh. for my grandchildren and the rest
Mr. Bush was the top vote-getter of the world," there were approving

demeanor unnerved several in the group. "I fear him on the military end," said Shirley Kiefer, 53, a dent, just as he was throughout is a bad idea," Chet Randolph, 62, a TV host and agriculturist, said And the former television evan-gelist Pat Robertson's focus on so-scientific sampling. But with the we need?"

Woody Herman, Bandleader, Dies

a negotiated cease-fire.

Mr. Rivera said his people were

born jazz pianist whose version of cerely trying to find the means to This Masquerade," with guitarist negotiate an end to their conflict George Benson, won a Grammy in with the Sandinists.

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tock anditorium.

LA JOLLA, California (AP) Augustus B. Kinzel, 87, a metallur gist who revolutionized the steel industry and worked directly with Robert Oppenheimer on the Man-

produce complicated metal parts without machining.

incisive ensemble playing (this was the band for which Stravinsky com-

Woody Herman

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town dances, in Carnegie Hall or a Augustus B. Kinzel, 87, Revolutionized Steel Industry

Mr. Kinzel earned 58 patents and was credited with developing low-alloy steels that were stronger tougher and more easily welded He also invented powder metallurgy, a process making it possible to

Kamal el-Mallakh, 69, the artheir solo and collective qualities grew especially clear in the late years of World War II, when his Great Pyramid at Giza 33 years group typically combined brilliant ago, of a heart attack Thursday in improvisation with exuberant and incisive encemble elevier (chicago).

enced Herman's next orchestra lowing a long illness. Jorge Dalto, 39, the Argentine

# Herald Tribune.

### Brazil Poses a Dilemma

With the stock market's troubles, the dilemma of the Brazilian bank debts becomes more difficult. It has been eight tant of which is economic reform. Debt months since the Brazilians suspended pay- concessions are a form of foreign aid, and ments on their debts, now more than \$70 the donors are entitled to ask the recipients billion. About a third of it is owed to American banks, and under American rules the regulators now have to decide whether to require the banks to start writing it off.

To write it off reduces a bank's capital. Most of the major lenders to Brazil set up special reserves last spring against that possibility, and until last week the regularity unsteady job of managing the economy, tors could have ordered them to write off and his authority is fading. The Brazilian 10 percent without any great concern. But 10 percent without any great concern. But with the whole financial structure under great strain, anything that constrains li-quidity and the banking system's ability to keep leading normally is going to require very careful thought. There is also a risk that, as write-offs begin, some bank might try to recoup its loss by seizing Brazilian property — a ship's cargo, perhaps, or a plane. In present conditions, any disruption of trade would be harmful.

But the regulators cannot afford simply to ignore Brazil's refusal to pay. They do not wish to give the impression, either to borrowers or to banks, that there are no consequences of breaking commitments. Brazil wants concessions on its debts, but

to respond by doing what they can to let their own economies work more efficiently.

The Brazilian government, unfortunately, seems to regard this kind of condition as an infringement of the country's sovereignty and an assault on its national pride. Presiwriting a constitution, and it is unclear how long President Samey's term will last or even whether the country will continue to have presidential government. In the midst of this confusion it is difficult for Brazil to make policy on an issue as heavily freighted with emotion as the bank debts.

The regulators are reportedly trying to work out a temporary solution in which everyone gives a little — banks, Brazil, even the regulators themselves — in order to slide along for a while with no collisions and no write-offs. It will not solve anything. but in the circumstances perhaps that is the best solution - if it can be managed.

-THE WASHINGTON POST.

#### A Vengeful Legacy?

In announcing his second choice for the Lewis Powell vacancy on the Supreme Court, Administration officials seem to be kick-President Reagan combatively showed himself unchastened by the Senate's embarrassing rejection of his first choice. To learn whether Douglas Ginsburg's nomination will prove as provocative as Robert Bork's we must await confirmation hearings, but the president's defiant tone is inauspicious.

"Let us all resolve that the process of confirming a Supreme Court nominee will never again be distorted," Mr. Reagan said on Thursday. But the Senate that voted against the Bork nomination by a decisive 58-to-42 vote needs no such correction. It tested that nomination with meticulous fairness and exhaustive hearings that intelligently probed his record and philosophy.

Nor does the Senate need Mr. Reagan's spur to speedy action. The four-month delay in replacing the respected moderate Powell with a confirmable candidate is the

president's responsibility.

Judge Ginsburg, like Judge Bork, sits on the U.S. Court of Appeals in Washington, D.C., but he has amassed much less of a record. That fulfills the prophecy of some Bork supporters that the next nominee would be less vulnerable to cross-examination based on prolific criticisms of the court. The Senate's challenge is to learn what it can about a nominee who, at age 41, has no Book of Bork to defend and may feel less need

Administration officials seem to be sicking themselves for not pressing the Bork
battle on ideological grounds. That seemed
to underlie Mr. Reagan's remarks on Thursday about "the rights of the victims of crime
and the rights of society."

The Senate is unlikely to be impressed

either by the open ideology or by Judge Ginsburg's credentials as a crime fighter. In his brief career as law professor, government official and judge for 14 months, the offenses he has dealt with mainly concern anti-trust. Is the president making good on his

promise to nominate someone the Senate will dislike "just as much" as Judge Bork? Mr. Reagan displays a certain vengeful ombativeness precisely by nominating someone so young; Judge Ginsburg would be the fifth youngest justice in history after James Iredell on the very first Supreme Court; William Johnson, a Jefferson appointee; the fabled Joseph Story, a Madison appointee; and William O. Douglas, appointed by Franklin Roosevelt. Three of them served more than 30 years.

m served more than 30 years. What brilliance and special experience would he bring to the court? Getting to know Douglas Ginsburg will have lasting importance. If he is confirmed, he might well be handing down judgments, Ronald Reagan's lasting legacy, in 2017.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

#### Wives Win a Victory

It certainly must have been easier for the U.S. military — and for the Foreign Service and many national corporations, too — back upon to devote full time and attention to the demands of husbands' employers. Packed up with the rest of the gear and shipped around from pillar to post, these women were in many cases treated like a valuable accessory, an unpaid extra who was assigned all kinds of tasks to be performed for the benefit of the company or the service. To make matters worse, a wife's performance in these tasks was often taken into account in determining

her husband's career progress. We thought those days were over — but we were wrong. Two Air Force wives recently complained about policies at Grissom Air Force Base in Indiana, and when those complaints became public, investigators found that their problem was not unique. These women held full-time civilian jobs, and in each case their husbands, mid-career officers in the Air Force, had been told that they would not be promoted unless their wives quit their jobs. Nothing subtle here. The and they are expected to volunteer to do it.

The predictable and justified protests — is the Air Force caught in some kind of a time warp? - from those familiar with the realities of women's rights, economic necessities and family relationships in the America of 1987 resulted in an Air Force investigation, a congressional inquiry and, this week, a new order from the Department of Defense, Secretary Caspar Weinberger announced that from now on the department will not inter-fere in a spouse's decision to work, stay at home or volunteer. That is a good ruling. The point is not that all service wives want to work outside the home or that great numbers of them do not do extremely valuable volunteer community service on their own time. What was wrong here was the assumption on the part of their husbands' employer that it could command service from a spouse and forbid paid employment.

#### Other Comment

#### Restore Egypt to the League

The question of readmitting Egypt to the Arab League may or may not be on the official agenda at the League summit which opens in Amman on Nov. 8. It will certainly be the chief topic backstage. The small Gulf states, which have been left feeling vulnerable by the Gulf crisis, would like Egypt's return. They would like to feel protected by a nation of substantial military capacity.

Formal readmission is unlikely. Saudi

Arabia, which will be the moving spirit at the summit, does not care for decisions which are not unanimous, and there is no sign that Syria is ready to forgive Egypt for its sepa-rate peace with Israel, the treaty which occasioned Cairo's dismissal in 1979. The Gulf states will, however, have another option. They can follow Jordan in restoring full diplomatic ties with Egypt even if it remains excluded from the Arab League. In so doing, they would only be giving official recognition to their unofficial relations with Cairo.

The isolation has now almost gone, except in name. However, Egypt's return to the Arab League would strengthen the moderate camp against the extremists. It is also an essential preliminary step toward the Arabs adopting a unified policy toward the Middle East peace process. This is rea-son enough for the West to encourage the moderates to end Egypt's formal isolation. - The Times (London).

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

#### Hard Choices for Reagan

Critical choices must be made about the defense budger. Many new weapons systems in the grab bag pushed by President Reagan have reached the transition between develop-ment and production. There is not enough gold in Fort Knox (or in the future pay-checks of American taxpayers) to produce them all at once. The president faces unpalatable choices. Even if he agrees with Congress on a budget resolution that includes new taxes, the Pentagon budget must be cut. If he doesn't accept new taxes, the Gramm-

Rudman cuts will take effect automatically. If choices are not made now, Mr. Reagan's successor, whether Republican or Democrat, will face a management nightmare.

- The Boston Globe.

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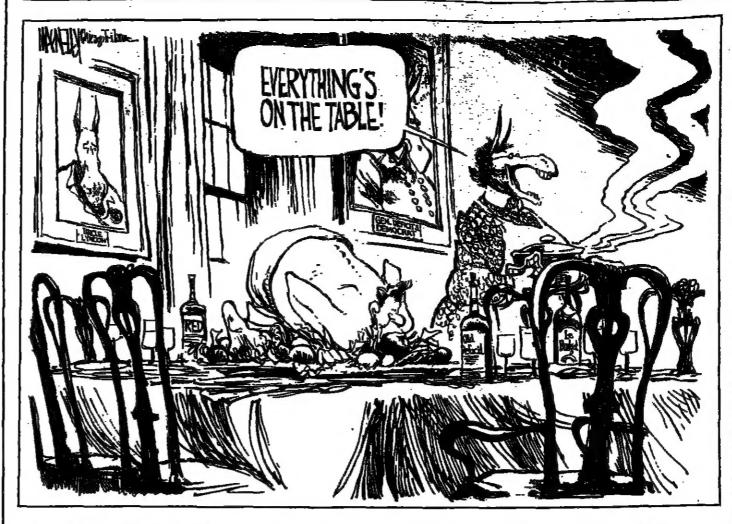
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#### In the Gulf, Too, the Soviet Union Is on the Move

WASHINGTON — In the Gulf region, the Soviet Union has played on Arab fears of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini with considerable skill, although without as yet achieving outstanding results.

As the main armorer of iraq and a

model of a reliable arms supplier (which America is not), the Soviet Union's preponderant interests have been on the Arab side, paralleling somewhat America's course. At the same time Moscow has been careful to keep as many avenues as possible open to Tehran, especially in new trade ventures and economic projects.

The Soviets have been opportunists in the Gulf. They have sought to benefit from American mistakes or overreaction, such as the U.S. reflag-

ging of Kuwaiti tankers.

Kuwait has long tried to get the superpowers involved in the Gulf war, if only as a signal to Iran to lay off. The long and inexplicable American silence to a kirwaiti reflagging request was broken only after the calamitous impact of Washington's "Irangate" cansed the Kuwaitis to make a comparable request to the Soviets — who acceded speedily, albeit in a low-key manner and with limited resources.

washington responded massively.
U.S. naval action has made the Iranians cautious. But while probably incapable of inflicting major damage on U.S. forces, they still stir the fires enough to keep the U.S. Congress unsettled and the U.S. public divided.

The Arab Gulf states have now

come around to regarding the U.S. reflagging and escorting action as positive. But those states know that they will have to live with a powerful Iran, whatever the face of the regime in Tehran. They are nervously pleased to be supported by America's might, but they are not eager for confrontation.

Thus they are ready to offer the

United States access to whatever facilities it needs on a discreet, case-bycase basis. But if Washington is fool-ish enough to ask for official and permanent base rights, then its diplomacy will cross the invisible line between the possible and the politically unacceptable — and send the Arabs turning to the Soviets as the more e and "moderate" balancers.

The Arabs also constantly ask if the United States is at long last going to stay the course. They have not forgotten how it proclaimed the "vital im-portance" of its interests in Lebanon. only to pull out abruptly soon after. They are still shaken by the Iran-contra affair. They nervously hear alarmist speeches in Congress and are aware of the considerable American popular uneasiness over Gulf policy.

By Robert G. Neumann This is the second of two articles.

present themselves, ever so carefully, as potential peacemakers in the Iran-Iraq war. If America has long claimed to be uniquely capable of peacemak-ing in the Arab-Israeli dispute because it has credibility on both sides, the Soviets can make the same claim in the

Soviets can make the same claim in the Gulf — and in growing measure in the Arab-Israeli dispute as well, as I showed in the first of these articles.

The objective may be a "double Tashkent" — a repetition of the peacemaking role Moscow played when it brokered an Indian-Pakistani peace in 1970. It may fail, but the goal gives Soviet diplomacy a unified framework that U.S. policy sadly lacks.

The two diplomaic forays in the Middle East are not isolated. Mikhail Gorbachev has been persuaded by in-

Gorbachev has been persuaded by influential and knowledgeable advisers like Yevgeny Primakov that a different and more flexible approach toward the Third World is required.

Regarding South Africa, the So-

All this has allowed the Soviets to viet Union has long pressed for a resent themselves, ever so carefully, "one man, one vote" solution. No one man, one vote solution. No longer. Moscow understands the dilemma of the white population and declares itself now ready to advocate a transitional period similar to the one negotiated for Zimbabwe.

The Soviets were in the forefront of advocating economic senerations.

of advocating economic sanctions against South Africa. No longer. They have discovered that outside pressure only solidifies regimes like Iran's.

In Angola, the Soviets now advo-cate national reconciliation.

 In Nicaragua they signal a willingness to limit military support.
 In Afghanistan they have indicated willingness to withdraw troops if a political formula can be found to avoid the impression that they avoid the impression that they are abandoning local allies to the mercies of the resistance. They admit in pri-vate that the war cannot be won. To be sure, this assessment of Soviet diplomacy is still tentative. Much depends on one man—Mr. Gorbachev.

Yet glasnost is alive in the domestic and foreign policy domains. That has caused movement in international re-lations. And movement is the bread and butter of diplomacy, the role of and butter of diplomacy, the role of which is to identify opportunities for peace and, through paneat and skillful effort, widen them. Progress is not often achieved through theatrical international conferences. But opportunities for allow artists. ternational conferences. But opportu-nines for slow, patient progress arise, in which one nation may suggest cer-tain steps, another then responds by presenting its own demands, and both sides begin gingerly to test each other's willingness to move forward. The Reagan administration is in its final months. When the next president reassesses relations with the Soviet

reassesses relations with the Soviet Union, he will have to reckon on a newly vigorous Soviet diplomatic role in the Middle East and elsewhere.

The writer, a former U.S. ambassador to Afghanistan and Saudi Arabia, is director of Middle East programs at Georgetown University's Center for Strategic and International Studies. He contributed this to The Washington Post.

BERKELEY, California — Of the "four modernizations" being pursued by Deng Xiaoping and his supporters, defense has the low-many of his reforms, they passively and retired, view such activity as a his supporters, defense has the low-est priority, after agriculture, indus-try and science and technology. But that would render them and their army is becoming smaller, the restricted budget for hardware has not precluded improving the software of China's military establishment. Army training has been appraded. An extensive system of demies and schools has been established to produce new generations of technically competent pro-fessional officers who leave politics to the party's civilian leaders.

Another low-cost area of modemization has been the reorganiza-tion and streamlining of the PLA structure, which began in 1985. Thousands of senior officers' jobs have been eliminated. At least 25 percent of the one million men who had lost their jobs in the PLA by last April were reported to be officers, many of them aging peasants who had been guerrilla fighters. They included a group of generals who had arrested the radical Gang of Four and paved the way for Mr.

Deng's return to power in 1977. While they did not become a

China: The Party Is Taming the Army

guerrilla experience obsolete. Removing their influence has been a slow and politically delicate process since Mr. Deng first called upon veteran revolutionaries of the older generation" to step aside in 1978. Several generations of senior offi-cers must be retired to break up their networks of influence and connections, a process that only time and death can complete.

Without support from some high-ranking officers, military rehigh-ranking officers, military reform could not have progressed as
far as it has. Xu Xiangqian and Nie
Rongzhen, the two remaining marshals of the PLA, have generally
backed modernization. They and
other elderly "modernizers." like
Defense Minister Zhang Aiping,
Chief of Staff Yang Dezhi and the
navy commander, Liu Huaqing,
helped shape the reforms and then
provided vital backing.

The army is becoming smaller, better trained, more professional and less politically active. But its equipment will only slowly improve, as carefully selected foreign techno-logy is infused. It will take years and a lot of scarce foreign exchange.

government decision to tighten restrictions on exports of military technology to China was prompted by the sale by Beijing of weapons like the Silkworm missile to Iran. The Gulf war has been a blessing to China's military industries. They must somehow finance research and development costs. Arms sales, including those Washington is trying to stop, earn most of the foreign exchange that the Chinese armed forces need to buy U.S. technology.

The writer is a research associate who had arrested the radical Gang of Four and paved the way for Mr. Deng's return to power in 1977.

While they did not become a threat to Mr. Deng, and supported when the reforms and then provided vital backing.

In return, they insist that economic and social reforms not go too far. Building a modern army is one strength of the remainded this comment to the International Herald Tribune.

PARIS — The chief reason the United States has drifted into market crash, and risks sinking into recession or worse, is that American government is powerless to act when an irreconcilable conflict exists be-

tween the president and Congress.

Such a conflict has existed for years on budget and tax policy. Congress would not yield to Ronald Reagan on how to cut expenditure, and the president would not yield to Congress on raising taxes. Thus nothing was done - except to borrow money, mainly from Japan, to pay the expenses of American government.

As things now stand, even when president and Congress agree on a common objective, as they have on cutting the deficit, action is blocked when there is disagreement on meth-od. This is a basic problem of American government. It has grown steadily worse during the last two decades. For 15 of the last 19 years, Congress

and the executive branch have been controlled by opposed political parties. This was not generally the case before. The House of Representatives - the popular house, and the one in which revenue bills must originate was in Republican hands from 1901 to 1911 and again from 1917 to 1933, for all but two years of that time under Republican presidents. Democratic Party control existed

during six of Woodrow Wilson's eight years as president, and was reestablished with Franklin Delano Roosevelt's election in 1932, continuing until 1947. The Democrats reclaimed the House in the 1948 election. The Republicans took control when Dwight Eisenhower became president in 1953, but the Democrats took it back in the midterm election By William Pfaff

Representatives ever since.
Thus, from the beginning of the century to World War II, only Woodrow Wilson, in the last two years of his presidency, faced a hostile House. But the full four years of his term.

A second thing to be done is to strengthen the political parties, which never, in the American system, have since 1945 every president except John Kennedy and Jimmy Carter has, for at least a part of his term in the White House, been at odds with Congress.

This postwar American taste for electing Republican presidents and Democratic Congresses obviously co-incides with the equally modern phenomenon of blocked and frustrated presidencies, and of presidential atrempts to circumvent Congress — to, or near, the point of crime, in the

or near, the point of crime, in the Nixon and Reagan cases.

Is there anything to be done? Elect Democratic presidents as well as Democratic congressmen, a Democratimight say. But the one completed modern Democratic presidency, Mr. Carter's, was not a great success, cither. Are there structural changes that might be made? Should they be made? Several proposals have been of-fered. A simple but potentially far-reaching reform would be to change the congressional term from two years to four, and the Senate term from six

Congress generally is willing to go along with a fresh and popular presi-dent when his mandate is new. Under the present arrangement, when two years have passed and the popular vote shifts away from him in the midterm election, as it nearly always

of 1954 and have held the House of end this midterm reaction and allow a

been that much good at controlling the votes of their members in Congress, so as to contribute to disciplined government. Even presidential candidates get nominated these days by running against, not with, their parties — as George McGovern, Jimmy Carter and Ronald Reagan all did, and as Gary Hart almost due to 1984.

There are several ways to strengthen party authority, among them making sitting senators and congressmen uncommitted delegates at the party conventions, and putting much stricter limits on the length of political campaigns. Under the current arrangement, a congressman is not a legislator who runs for office every two years, but a man or woman permanently running for office who intermittently clears a day or two to legislate.

Above all, the cost of running for

office must be cut, to drastically reduce the power of political action committees and other single-issue campaign contributors. The simple way to do it is years to eight, making both coincide to mandate equal and federally fi-with presidential terms. radio time for every qualified candi-date. This would slash the need for big money, and strengthen party influence

An argument can be made, of course, that the very nature of American constitutional government is one of checks and balances, and that if we does, congressional cooperation dwindles or ends. Consolidating presidential and congressional terms would than balance, this may be just as well for the health of the republic. King

than powerful and activist King Stock. who gobbled up all the little frogs.
But in that case, Americans had better begin asking small favors from their government rather than great accomplishments. You don't rule the world economy, or even your own, or properly play the superpower politico-strategic game, with a political system geared to stalemate. International Herald Tribune.

Modern Washington Has Been Prone to Stalemate Log sommolent (in the fable), may be better for the liberties of the citizen

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## These Are Hard Days For Reagan

By Lou Cannon

W ASHINGTON — This is a mose difficult time for Ronald Readifficult time for Ronald Readirists to a tax policy he abhors and by the logic of diplomacy toward a superpower summit that his conservative adherents oppose. Encouraged by Assistance General Edwin Meese, he has tomisely opened a second front wife, the Senate on another connoversal. the Senate on another controvernal.
Supreme Court normanion. The prospects for Mr. Reagan's declining presidency do not seem bright.

But the court of the subble could be seen bright.

But the strain of these public conflicts is secondary to the president, whose private life has become rimment. by the sorrows of Nancy Reagan. The by the sorrows of Nancy Reagan. Reagans are close beyond any normal measure. He spent much of Octobercomforting Nancy Reagan during her battle with cancer, as she had comforted him. He told her of the death of her mother. He hates to fly, but he flew with her to Phoenix and came back again himself that night because he had work to do the next day. At week's end he flew back to Phoenix to help his end he flew back to Phoenix to help his wife mourn Edith Luckett Davis, who

had also been a friend to him.

Throughout most of his life, Mr.

Reagan has comforted others in time of sorrow. "Love is never wasted, love is never lost," he told the weeping families of 248 Americans who died in Newfoundland plane crash in 1985. But that was a public event. It is more important to know that he regularly

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One wonders sometimes if even his huge store of optimism and selfreliance is large enough to keep him going.

writes letters and makes telephone calls to persons who have lost loved ones, even when the cameras are off. In two decades of writing about Mr. Reagan, I have heard from time to time after some tragedy that he had telephoned or written a person he never knew. The disclosures usually came from the recipients of the calls and letters, for Mr. Reagan made it a point not to publicize them. I made notes and stored the information, as journal-ists are trained to do. We always think that the bell tolls for someone eise.

When my mother died several years, ago, the president called to offer con-dolences. I thanked him and said that her death had been expected and that I had thought I was prepared for it, but that it had really hit quite hard. "You are never prepared for the death of your mother," he said softly. It seemed to me — and still seems — about the most sensible and kindly thing that could be said. It also struck me that Mr. Reagan was talking in a different voice without a script.

Mr. Reagan reminisced about his mother in the State of the Union address last February. Horace Busby observed that this was rare for Mr. Reagan in a public speech, "unlike other presidents who have summoned up memories of their mothers with little provocation. This underscored what is often overlooked: He has been, by far, the most private of presidents, allowing little to be known of him."

It may be that one of the secrets of Mr. Reagan's political success is that this private Reagan comes through somehow to Americans in ways that are imperiectly understood. I don't know, I do know that Mr. Reagan, who has spent most of his life in the spotlight, is an astonishingly private person who conceals his griefs and does not discuss his fears. It must cost him a lot in this time, when his wife is suffering and his friend Mike Deaver is on trial. One wonders sometimes if even Mr. Reagan's hoge

store of optimism and self-reliance is large enough to keep him going.

Reporters are taught to set aside their feelings. At the Reagan White House, if they work for television networks the reaches the research to the research the research the research to the research the research to the research works, they also learn the art of shouting questions at a president who seeks to avoid answering them. This art form, not particularly ennobling for either side, is complicated further by
Mr. Reagan's hearing difficulties.

As the president left for Phoenix
last week, CBS White House corre-

spondent Bill Plante shouted condonces to him. Others joined in. The president, thinking they were shouring questions about the summin, kept walking Later, when an aide explained to him what had happened, he laughed about it and was pleased that others cared enough to comfort him. He is in need of that now. It is a most difficult time for the Reagans.

The Washington Post.

#### 100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1887: Brokers Complain LONDON - The brokers notice

that within the past fortnight unusual job lots of stocks, especially of Americans, have been purchased outright Buying on margins, or selling on borrowed securities, has not been as rife as in the past. They do not welcome this. It is speculation and especially its first step, which brokers like. For months the public has been quite indisposed to speculate, and account after account, the volume of business which has to be adjusted at the end of settlements has been shrinking. Nevertheless brokers and dealers represent that the markets are in a much sounder condition than for a long while.

#### 1912: Vice President Dies

NEW YORK - James S. Sherman. the Vice President of the United

including serious kidney trouble. Mr. Sherman was candidate for re-elec-tion as Vice President on the Republican ticket. Mr. Sherman was Sh years of age, having been born at Utica, New York, in 1855. He was elected to the House of Representatives in 1887, serving five terms, He was elected Vice President in 1908.

#### 1937: France Is Warned PARIS - France was warned to eradicate the Communistic influent

in its colonies and to effect a reconcil iation between the Right and Lefting home if it wanted to safeguard itself against war, by Philippe Barres, French journalist. He said that France had not been able to avoid the appearance of being compromised with the Communists, and Red propaganda was rampant in the colonic He pointed out that if this propagated as succeeded and France was oblight to send troops to the colonies, that the country would be in a weakened. position to oppose the dictators.





A LONGING FOR THE HOMELAND — Hundreds of Taiwan citizens mob the Taipei office of the Red Cross to get application forms for visiting relatives in mainland China. The government will start accepting applications, of which 5,000 were distributed, on Nov. 2. The Nationalists have banned the visits for 38 years.

# For Nakasone, an Unconvincing Sayonara

By Clyde Haberman New York Times Service
TOKYO — "Let me join you from now on as a private," Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone told members of his ruling party the

other day. Without so much as a blink, Mr. Nakasone segued from the military metaphor to one borrowed from tennis. I will concentrate on being

a ball boy," he said. While none of his fellow party nembers laughed outright, none lock him seriously either. But Japanese custom dictates

that no leader should strut off the stage. And so Mr. Nakasone, with such flashes of uncharacteristic modesty, stepped down quietly Friday after five dynamic years as president of the ruling Liberal

No one expects him to stay quiet

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be a significant behind-the-scenes influence on Japan's next leader, Noboru Takeshita. His presence is likely to be felt especially in foreign policy, his specialty and an area where Mr. Takeshita is weak.

If the Japanese press is correct, the incoming prime minister will soon pick a trusted Nakasone lieutenant, probably Takao Fujinami, to be his foreign minister. In addition, Mr. Nakasone plans to form an institute for strategic studies, from which he will presumably issue pronouncements on a favorite theme: Japan must play a global role commensurate with its vast

economic power. Speaking to a group of foreign reporters Thursday, the departing prime minister said he had advised Mr. Takeshita, "Be yourself." But it was also clear that he does not for long.

He has been a vigorous prime minister, and politicians and govulation and govulation and govulation are designed want his successor to take the admonition too literally. "I'm convinced Mr. Takeshita will follow

fice until then, but, in the Japanese Interim Rule Is Abandoned reality, his political command comes to an end Friday.

dent Junius R. Jayawardene of Sri shelved, however, after the rebel Few Japanese prime ministers Lanks scrapped plans for an inter- Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam have asserted so uncompromisingly broke a cease-fire and killed about that a leader's job is indeed to lead The president also repeated his work their way through the quagoffer of annesty to rebels who surrendered their arms and accepted Under Mr. Nakasone, Japan has He included in this amnesty the could spend on the military and on

the peacekeeping soldiers.

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ernment bureaucrats expect him to the foreign policy line that I laid It is rare for a former leader to have influence on day-to-day government policy, especially a man who, like Mr. Nakasone, commands a relatively small party fac-

tion. But Mr. Nakasone is differ-

ent. For one thing, his popularity is high. For another, he has managed, thority largely intact.

is Mr. Nakasone's opposite. Mr. Takeshita will be designated the Liberal Democratic leader on Saturday. He will not formally become prime minister until Nov. 6. when parliament convenes to elect him. Mr. Nakasone will stay in of-

He will leave office at the age of Japan since the end of World War

and not to stand by while policies broken old taboos on how much it

the official said.

# Pacific Heeds U.S. on East Bloc Exports

national Herald Tribiase SINGAPORE - Australia. following requests from the United States, has for the first time applied strict international controls to prevent diversion of military-related high technology to Communist countries. Western officials said Friday.

And, in Singapore, the controls were used to block acquisition of advanced computers by companies that have close connections with the Soviet Union and its allies in Eastern Europe, the officials said. Australia and Singapore are the leading users and manufacturers of

Pacific region after Japan. Western diplomats in Singapore said that the United States had sought ecoperation in the region to impose stricter controls on technol-

ogy exports.

Washington was concerned, they said, that Soviet bloc agents were trying to circumvent ughter surveillance on the movement of sensitive technology from Western Europe by seeking to acquire the material in the Far East.

In Australia, officials said that the son of a Hungarian diplomat ordered to leave the country recently had attempted to fly out Japa-nese and U.S. computer equipment that is prohibited from export.

They said that cargo worth nearly 1 million Australian dollars (\$700,000) was destined for Hungary via a front company in Singa-

Malcolm McIntosh, a spokesman for the Defense Department in Canberra, said that the equipment could be used for civilian work, such as running an airline reservation system, or for military purposes, including operation of a missile system.

A spokesman for the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade said that Gabor Kiska, son of the Hungarian commercial consul in Sydney, had been told to leave Australia after seizure of the equipment. He left on Oct. 10.

pioned went down in flames. For all of his talk about restructuring Pal Ipper, Hungary's ambassador to Australia, said that if Mr. the economy, Japan's trade surplus Gabor had done anything wrong, "he did it on his own. He certainly has grown relentlessly on his watch, from \$7 billion to \$83 billion.

did not do anything on behalf of the Hungarian government." and accounting work.

The United States recently blocked the sale of a powerful mini-computer worth about 500,000 Singapore dollars to the U.S. Commerce Department administration, said the action was (\$248,000) to a company in Singa- in August for an export license for being taken to "remove unneces-

Mrs. Oei Sing Geok, a spokes-woman for IBM, the U.S. maker of the equipment, said that SinSov. or Singapore Soviet Shipping Co., had placed an order for an IBM model 9370 computer early this year after IBM Singapore had recommended that it would meet their require-

SinSov, a partnership between a computer technology in the Asia-Soviet foreign trade organization and a local firm, acts as general agent in Singapore for Soviet shipping lines.

> Boris M. Kulikov, the chairman of SinSov, said the company handled about 1,000 Soviet vessels a year calling at Singapore and need-

#### Toshiba Reports It Lost Money

TOKYO — The Toshiba Ma-chine Co., the Japanese company penalized for exporting stra tegic technology to the Soviet Union, said Friday that it lost money for the first time in 10

The company reported losses of 185 million yen (\$1.33 milion) for the six months ended n September, after profits of 793 million yen in the same period last year.

The company, a subsidiary of the Toshiba Corp., said the the loss was a result of a government export ban that cut its shipments to Communist countries to a trickle. The government imposed the one-year ban in May. The United States had complained that Toshiba Machine's exports of advanced milling machines had allowed Moscow to develop submarines with quieter propellers.

As required under U.S. law, IBM tem. Singapore, a wholly-owned subsidiary of IBM of New York, applied merce undersecretary for export the model ordered by SinSov, Mrs. sary licensing requirements to

be denied, she added.

In Washington, Colonel Arnold Williams, a spokesman for the Defense Department said that the Pentagon regarded SinSov as a Soviet company. "And the bottom line is that this line of computers is not for sale to certain countries."

In response to U.S. requests over the past few years. Singapore and Australia have tightened controls over the export and re-export of dual-use technology and materials considered to have potential military application. Kim Beazley, Australia's defense

minister, announced in June that Australia would adhere formally to guidelines established by COCOM. Coordinating Committee for Multilateral Export Controls. COCOM's members are Japan

and all members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization except leeland. The United States announced

last week that it would streamline export license requirements for

ed a computer for documentation. Singapore in response to improvements in its export licensing sys-

Paul Freedenberg, acting com-Oei said. those nations cooperating in pro-tified IBM that the license would trolled goods and technologies."

Allan Wendt, the State Department's senior representative for strategie technology policy, said on Oct. 16 that the United States would be holding talks over the next few weeks with countries in Western Europe to strengthen en-forcement of controls on high-technology exports.

Mr. Wendt said that Japan had agreed to tighten its guard on foreign sales of strategic goods and echnologies.

U.S. concerns about high-technology smuggling from east Asia were heightened earlier this year by the disclosure that computerized milling equipment had reached the Soviet Union.

The equipment was made by Toshiba in Japan and shipped to the Soviet Union via a Norwegian company, Kongsberg Vapenfabruk, according to a Norwegian police report released last week.

U.S. officials said that the equipment had helped the Russians make ultrasilent submarine propelhigh-technology goods bound for lers that were difficult to detect.

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For Tamil Areas in Sri Lanka Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches COLOMBO, Sri Lanka - Presi-

plans for an interim administration in the Northern and Eastern provinces Friday because of continued fighting between Tamil rebels and Indian troops, but he said elections could be held in December for provincial

"The north and east are not at

Under a July 29 peace accord, the north and east were to be granted substantial autonomy. The plan

peace," he said at a news confer-

to rule the areas through a combined provincial council was

200 people in attacks. the democratic process.

despite many ups and downs over the years, to keep his political au-He even got the rare opportunity to pick his own successor. Last week, to preserve party unity and pay back old debts, he named Mr. Takeshita, a master of compromise who avoids speaking his mind, who

prefers politics to policy, who is not given to sweeping philosophical statements — in short, a man who

69, having presided longer than all but two of the 16 men who have led

Few Japanese prime ministers

oldiers. mand for growth. He has set in (Reuters, UPI) motion a fundamental re-evalua-

how does one explain the ascension of an old-style politician like Mr. As a farewell, Mr. Nakasone in vited foreign journalists to his offi-cial residence Thursday. He has rarely shrunk from self-congratulation, and in his sayonara speech he

tion of Japan's effective but often

stifling educational system, and he

has presided over such risky tasks

as the breakup of telephone and

icit-plagued national railways.

tobacco monopolies and of the def-

But he has had conspicuous fail-

Relations with the United States, which Mr. Nakasone prizes most,

have deteriorated dramatically this

year. A sales tax that he had cham-

In addition, some political ana-

lysts worry that his ardent nation-

alism has encouraged right-wing,

Japan-first writers and intellectu-

als. And while many believe that he

has permanently altered Japanese

perceptions of what a prime minis-

ter should be, others are not so

sure. If that were true, they ask.

borrowed from another man of ego, General Douglas MacArthur. "Old soldiers never die; they just quoting a line used by the general

in his farewell address to Congress in 1951. Off to one side, a senior official listened, and then expressed a thought that has been on many

He included in this amnesty the People's Liberation Front, a leftist rebel group made up mainly of majority Sinhalese.

Mr. Jayawardene acknowledged that Indians had killed some Sri Lankan civilians, but he said he was satisfied with the conduct of was satisfied with the conduct of carports and look to domestic demand for growth. He has set in the official said.

He meant "I shall return."

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# Spanish Art, From El Greco to Picasso to 1987

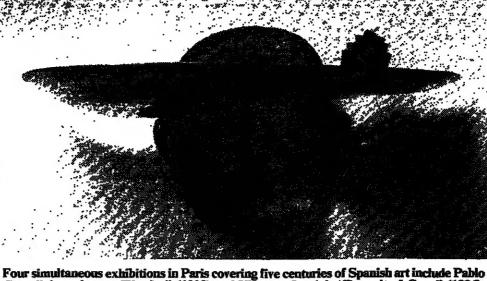
By Michael Gibson International Herald Tribune

PARIS — The peculiar and yet elusive flavor of the Spanish sensibility is a haunting presence all through four exhibitions devoted to five centuries of Spanish art at the Petit Palais and the Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris.

"From El Greco to Picasso," a sumptuous exhibition at the Petit Palais, presents more than 150 works by nearly 70 artists including Velázquez, Ribera, Zurbaran, Murillo and an interesting array of less imposing talents. The stars of the show are represented by some major works - El Greco, for instance, by 11 paintings including "The Baptism of Christ," "Christ Driving the Merchants Out of the Tem-ple" and "The Agony in the Gar-den." There are some excellent items by Velazquez ("Aesop" and the dwarf "Il Primo," for instance) while Goya is impressively repre-sented by more than 20 paintings, many of the first magnitude including portraits, scenes of witchcraft and genre scenes - though this last

It is particularly interesting, in this context, to see Vicente Lopez's portrait of Goya at the age of 80. It reveals a penetrating glance, as forceful as Picasso's, but more perceptive, and a willful expression of the mouth. López, incidentally, was Goya's successor as painter to the

But what about the peculiar fla-



Gargallo's sculpture "Picador" (1928) and Vincente Lopéz's "Portrait of Goya" (1826).

often marked with Baroque enthu- an interest in all unusual manifes- is a tragic intensity and continuity siasm, but also there is something tations of nature that came with the in all this art, which also accounts lerm sounds somewhat imperiment when applied to paintings of the intensity of "Maja and Celestina at the Balcony" or "Lazarillo de Tormes." Under his extraordinary brushstrokes, as mundane a subject as a dead turkey somehow manages to radiate a fateful dignity.

It is particularly interesting, in the same with the darker and more intensely tragic in Court took an unusually intense interest in paintings of this sort throughout the 17th century and the royal family was regularly attended by male and female dwarfs some of whom, like Madalena to specify fate, a bearded lady, a hugely fat 6-year-old girl and a good number of court dwarfs, appear in this exhibition. The Vicerov are shown in a letth-century nor and sculptures by such artists as pear in this exhibition. The Viceroy are shown in a 16th-century por-of Naples commissioned Ribera to paint a bearded lady with her utter-chez Coello in which the Infanta is ly masculine head, and the artist shown laying a hand, protectively managed to handle this difficult and possessively, on the head of her subject with dignity and a certain low-key compassion. It has been argued that this is not a specifically Spanish inclination. A good number of Italian artists also devoted one attempts to account for some- through all of this with paintings

Yet such observations are still this partial survey suggests, it is we are told, was an outcropping of seem obvious, however, that there years.

younger generation, Antoni Tapies, Antonio Saura, Manuel Millares, Equipo Crónica, Eduardo Arroyo Yet such observations are still or, in another and utterly photo-outside the subject in a sense, and realistic vein, Antonio Lopez. The this may be inevitable whenever thread of Picasso's work runs one attempts to account for something as elusive as a mood. It does and sculptures ranging over 60 sculptor Susana Solano) suggest vor of the Spanish sensibility? As paintings to such subjects and this, thing as elusive as a mood. It does and sculptures ranging over 60

ation nouvelle" (The New Imagination) is a smaller show devoted to the artists who emerged during the Barceló, an acknowledged star of the current avant-garde, as are Ferran García Sevilla, who uses the day though it may be regarded as random idiom of Neo-Expressionism and graffiti, and José Maria ic terms. In any event it is vigorous

The novel aspect of this show is the emergence of a strongly intel-

In the same museum, "L'Imagin-tion nouvelle" (The New Imagina-on) is a smaller show devoted to the artists who emerged during the '70s and '80s. Among these the most vigorously gifted is Mignel strict art to the function of a herday though it may be regarded as something of a dead end in aesthetand sculptures by such artists as Sicilia whose abstract canvases are also on view in the last exhibition able theoreticians and it is no Miró, Julio Gonzalez and, in a on the top floor of the museum, vounger generation, Antoni Tapies, which is presented under the title: opens itself increasingly to outside influences, that Spanish artists should be tempted to follow this line, with its aura of radical intellectual integrity.

"De Greco à Picasso" and "Le Siècle de Picasso" run through Jan. 3; "L'Imaginatum ....." "Espagne 87" to Nov. 22. "L'Imagination nouvelle"



# African Sculpture From the Colonial Era

PARIS — Every now and then the art market provides insights into art forms that never found their way into museums. The revelation this week at Drougt was African sculpture in the early colonial

During the brief transitional period spread over two generations at the most that took it from its timeless ritual art to its desolate, virtu-

#### SOUREN MELIKIAN

ally artless present, Black Africa revealed an astonishing potential under the most adverse circumaround that time that the pageant of Europeans, from African rang-ers to pipe-smoking governors with selves confronted induced them to produce carvings that defy classifi-

A striking group of these were briefly seen at the Saturday viewing that preceded an auction held on Four of five large pieces, plus about 30 smaller wood figures, which were occasionally more remarkable still as works of art, emerged out of the 136 items. A good deal of the rest consisted of Airport Art, as African art buffs have come to call the gaudily painted carvings done in recent years in a style attempting to copy traditional masks and idols. The incongruous mix might have harmed the great pieces had

not the visual impact of these been

The standing figure of a man. 37 centimeters (14.5 inches) high, with a head far too big for its frail body sums up the mood of this art when it stood half way between traditional ritual representations and threedimensional portraits influenced by Europe. The upper part of the face with its domed forehead, its eyebrows raised high over the bulging eyes staring down as if gripped by some inner perception retains something of the Baule mask. But the tight-lipped mouth, puckered in a bitter expression, gives it a very different twist. Most expressive is the figure itself, hands in pocket, stances. The first quarter of the 20th century appears to have been the most creative period. It is irresistibly calls to mind Charlie Chaplin's impersonations. No one knows how such works

came about. This one is said to whom black sculptors found them- have been acquired in the Baule country in the Ivory Coast. Binoche, who spent many years traveling in Africa, says that it must have been done on the eye of World War L which seems to be supported by the patination of the face in a natu-Sunday by Jean Claude Binoche, ral dark wood, and the weathering of color. But, far more intriguing limited contact.

> have so easily integrated into their repertoire new motifs and, above all, so promptly devised a new aestheric language. The shock of surprise sent the Baule standing man rading in the uniform worn by Afrizooming to 31,239 francs (about can fusiliers. A rigid red collar tops \$5,340). This is an unheard of fig- his buttoned-up jacket and a bright

on the rifle, 1916, gives it considerto 23,313 francs.

Within a very short time, probably 20 years or so, a whole range of intermediary phases between African traditional and a new figurative ari were developed. Another Ashanti figure of an of-ficer, sold for 5,649 francs, com-

bines an almost purely African mask for the face - high angular checkbones, closed eyes — with a European posture and costume for the body. Here the sculptor has gone one step further away from the tradition. The white man is represented seated on a chair, one leg crossed over the other, his right hand pressed against his belt, his left forearm resting on his thigh. The well-observed posture strongly suggests that the sitter was actually nowhere into the native African tradition. Surprisingly, the han-dling of the body reminds one of Modigliani's perception of his sit-ters, with their curving elastic-looking limbs. The expression, with big dilated eyes, pressed thin lips that increase the glare, exudes a mixture of smugness and triumphant ferocity. It is as good as the best in 20thcentury Western art. Despite its astonishing parallelism, the carving still retains something of the tradi-tional modeling of the human face at the hands of African sculptors.

Nothing of the sort survives in the standing figure of a felt-hatted ranger, legs apart, water flask dan-gling on his hip, that was carved by an anonymous artist of the Mende people in Sierra Leone. The squat sleek figure betrays a remarkable accuracy in the observation of military costume, including the two crossed leather straps over the short-sleeved shirt, the two knives ure concerning an art form that is red seam adorns his shorts. The in their sheath, the boots. The one not recognized as such, commerman holds his rifle upright poised odd detail is the African necklace cially, or indeed, otherwise. neck. The expression makes it a masterpiece of suggestive three-dimensional portraying. Gleeful brutishness about sums it up. It touched a cord in the attendance as

portrait in an art to which portrai- in the trade, for an African repreture was not overly familiar. A date sentation of the conquering white

> The diversity that was revealed by the Drouot sale in a sampling numbering less than 40 significant works is surprising. Together with the ability to perform on unfamiliar lines, innovate, and create bril-liantly, it leaves no doubt about the fantastic potential that Africa had at that time. Has that potential survived? Looking at the appalling de-rivative work done in the last 20 years or so, bordering on parody and rarely avoiding vulgarity, one cannot be sure. The best hope hies in the immensity of a continent, its diversity and its many relatively untouched areas.

The reaction of the Western public was hardly less revealing than the art that provoked it. Dealers and collectors of traditional African art did not touch it. The reonse came from those concerned with 20th-century art. Measured by their standards, the works they were buying were going for peanuts even if prices for the top lots were huge compared with those paid hitherto. In the smaller lots, a few wonderful objects could be picked up in the 1,500-to-3,000-franc range. The U.S. dealer Jerome Eisenberg was the main buyer. The owner of the Royal Athena galleries in New York and Beverly Hills. California, he usually deals in antiquities from the ancient Mediterean world, Greece and Rome and has now started branching off into Western European sculpture of the Middle Ages. Eisenberg bought 37 percent of the lots. Asked about his plans, he grin-ned. "I have no idea. I just loved it."



Penelope Lively

#### Penelope Lively Wins Booker

The Associated Press ONDON - Penelope Live-UNDON Prenatope Investigious award for fiction, The Booker Prize, for her book "Moon Tiger," a woman's reflections on her troubled life as she lies dying in a hospital. The prize carries an award of £15,000 (about \$25,800).

The choice Thursday was un-expected. Lively, 54, had been given only an outside chance by most critics. She entered the competition this year for a third time. Her two previous works that failed to win were "The Road To Lichfield" (1977) and According To Mark" (1984).

Lively was born in Cairo, where she spent her early childhood. She moved to Sussex, England, and later studied modern history at St. Anne's College, Oxford University. Her earlier work includes six novels, three volumes of short stories and many children's books.

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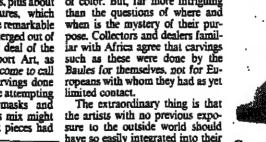
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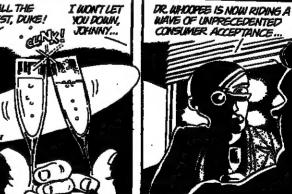
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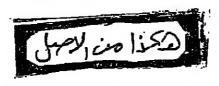


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# THE FRENCH ART MARKET

# in the Picture

n the winner-takes-all world of international art sales. Paris is staging a comeback. Sensational success in Japan. spectacular sales in the weeks to come and the inauguration of a prestigious auction house all point to the capital's reemergence as a leading auction center.





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Remorqueur sur la Meuse

(1948) by Van Dongen. A

Far left: Jean-Baptiste Camille Corot, "La Rochelle -Entrée du port" (c. 1851), 27 x 40.5 cm, oil on inlaid panel, signed lower right (Collection Georges Renand). Left: Heuri Matisse, "La Couversation (1941), 54 x 65 cm, oil on canvas gned and dated upper left Collection Georges Renand).

#### A Milestone in French Auctioneering

TIFTY major 19th and 20th century works, led by several littleknown masterpieces, promise to make the Renand sale in Paris on November 20 a record-breaking occasion.

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The Paris commissairespriscurs could hardly have dreamed of a better way to surpass the record (equivalent inaugurare their new prestige auction venue, the sumpruously restored Théâtre des Champs-Elysées on the Avenue Montaigne. The Renand Collection impresses by its scope and variety - works range from Géricault to Van Dongen - with Van Gogh, Modigliani and Matisse the potential showstoppers.

Van Gogh's Rooftops in The Hague (watercolor-gouache) counts as one of the first indications of the artist's mature mastery. In a letter to his brother and staunchest supporter Theo, dated July 1882, Van Gogh cites Rooftops as the fruit of his determination to progress in drawing, perspecrive and proportion. The banal scene - red roofs, smoking chimneys, worksites and fields - is lent a sinister note by the stark black outline of a crow against a sky that Van Gogh termed "as silent and peaceful as one by Corot."

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A in- Book

Among three works by Amedeo Modigliani are two highly rated female portraits, La Belle Romaine and Femme à La Cravate Noire (1917). With their tonal subtlety and subjects' impenetrable gaze, these portraits possess strange, bewitching charm. They figured in the Modigliani Exhibition held in Paris in 1981 and should prompt a record price for an arrist infrequently seen at auction.

A tentative 50 million francs has been touted as a possible price for the Van Gogh and at least one of Modigliani's ladies (the Cravate Noire should outsell the Belle Romaine). La Conversation by Marisse shouldn't be far off that sum and looks certain to to 11 million francs) established for this artist in the U.S. in 1985. The fluid blues and yellows of the dresses offer an attractive contrast with a se-

verely vertical red and black

against a red background. his sought-after landscapes that come under the hammer are youthful views of the Roman countryside or late, melancholy scenes from Northern France. Vue du Port de la Ro-



Amedeo Modigiiani, Nu assis sur un divan on "La Belle Rom (1917), 1 m x 65 cm, canvas, signed lower right (Collection

background. No less than three other Matisses are on offer, led by Jeune Fille Assise painted a year after La Conversation in 1942. It depicts a pensive blonde in a gray dress

Coror is regularly present at auction in Paris. But most of abelle (c.1851) is exceptional;

poles, spire and towers). His portraits provide an inreresting contrast. An early, carnest 1833 picture of his niece Octavie Chamouilles nie Sennegon has an unusually conventional feel for Corot: maybe his hands were tied by family demands. A bare-chested Jeune Pemme Assise (1835-40), though smaller and less meticulous, provides a more faithful image of the painter's originality with its subdued interplay of white, gray and pale

some experts rate it one of the

finest French landscapes of the

last century. The work depicts

the harbor entry at the Atlan-

tic port of La Rochelle -

dominated by its two forcess-

like towers - with the town

and quayside visible in the

background. The composition

typifies Coror's sense of bal-

ance via its clash of horizon-

rals (multi-toned grassland

and gray-blue sky), with mid-

canvas verticals (masts, flag-

Early 19th century French art is represented by two other paintings: Géricault's Maréchal-Ferrant Anglais and one of the famous series of Odalisques by Ingres.

From a historical point of view, the sale's next principal artraction is a blue-and-greendominated Cézanne watercolor (1877-80) portraying a Groupe d'Arbres near Vichy. It suggests that the first seeds of cubism were sown long before the end of the 19th century.

Seurat figures with two relatively early works from his innovarive divisionist days. A study of a static ballerina (1887) for Les Passuses is a good, dappled example of that technique. Une Perissoire

glimpsed through the trees served as a preparatory study for Seurar's celebrated Ile de la Grande Jatte

A frumpily realistic 1897 pastel portrait of Béatrice Tapié de Celeyran is Toulouse-Lautrec's contribution to the proceedings, while the Douanier Rousseau makes an unaccustomed appearance at auction with two pictures, including a key work from his first period, Port d'Alger.

The better of two Vuillards is a soft, intimate scene entitled La Chambre Bleue (1910), depicting a kimono-clad woman next to a dressing table. A beautiful street-scene (Rue à Auteril) by Utrillo, painted just a couple of years later,

superb lifesize bronze of Eve. by Rodin, is thrown in for good measure. (A videocassette presenting all the works in the sale is available.) How much will the entire

collection draw? The overall figure could reach 400 million francs with the Japanese, Arabs and Getty foundation setting the pace.

- Richard Percy

#### Who was Georges Renand?

Georges Renand (1879-1968) was a born-and-bred Parisian with a head for business and an eye for art.

Twenty years with the Crédit Lyonnais taught him finance, but he quit banking in 1922 to join the famous Samarizaine department store. Six years later he took over as joint boss along with friend and fellow picture-lover Gabriel

The move to the Samaritaine coincided with Renand's first forays into the art-market. A Bonnard nude launched what, over the next forty years, was to become a fabulous, varied collection of 19th and 20th century paintings. Whim, fancy and the flair of an instinctive connoisseur dictated Renand's choice.

Georges Renand left behind over 300 works at his death. Fifty of the best are up for sale in Paris on November 20. It promises to be the most important auction in the French capital since Gabriel Cognacq's own collection came under the hammer - back in 1952.

## Curtain up on Drouot-Montaigne

N November 20. Paris will welcome a new auction venue: the Théâtre des Champs-Elysées, near the Plaza Athénée on the stylish Avenue Montaigne.

Auctions in a theater? Well, not any old suctions just the most prestigious of the Paris season. And not any old theater - the Théâtre des Champs-Elysées has recently emerged from a 100 millionfranc facelift, resplendent in Belle Epoque glory and crammed with the technology needed to function as a multipurpose arts center. Concerts. ballet and opera will be sharing the limelight with auc-

The Champs-Elysées was designed by Belgian architect Henry Van Velde and opened in 1913. It was acclaimed for both its pioneering use of reinforced concrete - then virmally unknown - and magnificent interior decoration. Leading contemporary artists Antoine Bourdelle, Maurice Denis and Edouard Vuillard covered the walls with mighty frescoes. Glass maestro René Lalique designed art nouveau chandeliers. Little wonder that the theater became - in 1957 France's first 20th century

historic monument. An exhaustive 15-month renovation program, sponsored by the State and the Caisse des Dépôts, was completed this summer. Sparing no effort to recapture the original "spirit of boldness and novelty," 39,000 square meters of murals have been repainted and 150,000 pieces of gold-leaf applied. Seats have

building to be classified as an

been restored with authentic woods and velvet upholstery. Altough Lalique's glass moulds no longer exist, his chandeliers shimmer again in the form of sparkling resin look-alikes. For Paris auctioneers, the

Théâtre des Champs-Elysées represents the ideal solution to several needs - starting with space. The Hotel Drouot, where all Paris sales are currently held, was rebuilt during the late 70s. Due to the 80s boom in auction activity it in now too small. Even its largest room will accommo-

date only a few hundred. There will be no such restrictions in the 1,900-capacity auditorium of the Champs-Elysées: 650 prospective buyers will be able to follow proceedings from the stalls, the rest from the balcony and cir-

launch of Drouot-Montaigne.

It should mark Drouot as a

cle. Currency-conversion screens and the latest video: techniques will enhance auction presentation. Longer presale exhibitions will be possible. As from next year, extra office space beneath the theater will ease pressure on Drouor's headquarters.

The new venue, to be known officially as Drouor-Montaigne, should do wonders for the Drouot's prestige and credibility. The ambitious Joël-Marie Millon, President of the city's commissaires priscurs, aims to put Paris firmly on the international auction map. Acquiring such a sumptuous saleroom is a fine start. Further sales — of the quality of the inaugural, eagerly awaited Renand Collection should follow.

- Simon Hewitt, **Antiques Trade Gazette** 

# Bidding for International Business

WATERSHED in art market history. 1992 will see the inevirable clash of two different auction systems.

French auctioneers (commissaires-priscurs) are appointed by the State and have a number of civil obligations. It is a unique system: sometimes inflexible and frustrating but offering, in return, considerable security to buyers and sellers. Take, for instance, the thirty-year authenticity guarantee that applies to any object acquired at auction in France.

Until World War II and even, in fact, during the immediate post-war years, France remained the world's leading auction center. All the great collections invariably passed through Paris, where the heftiest bids were registered, painters' market-value evaluated, and reputations made or

Today things are rather different Sotheby's and Christie's - followed recently by Phillips - have set up offices in the French capital and, over the years, gradually acquired

sizeable chunks of the market. Result: France's artistic heritage is systematically plundered and the finest items removed to London - 2 partern fostered also, it is true, by less onerous art-sale taxation in

In 1992, however, the full application of the Treaty of Rome should see the removal of numerous trade batriers with free competition becoming the rule and a fierce cross-Channel struggle in prospect.

Joël-Mane Millon, President of the Drouot Commissaires-Priscurs for the last two years, discussed the situation as it stands today and revealed his plans for the future of his beloved profession.

The past-1992 period will see major changes in your profession. What measures do you intend to take to counter British auction houses as they step up the pres-

We are all determined to restore Paris to the place it deserves on the world art marker. Starting in November, Paris will boast a prestigious

new saleroom, Drouor-Monraigne, in the Théâtre des Champs Elysées on the Avenue Monraigne. The Paris auction scene has become more dynamic and this requires an increase of "prestige sales": the only way to interest the media and thereby capture the public's imagination. If we are to progress, Paris needs to have an image of efficiency and high performance.

Even if this means giving up the single-venue policy so popular with buyers and collectors from France and abroad?

Don't forget that, in the past, prestige sales in Paris have been held at the Palais Galliera and the Palais d'Orsay. Today the former is the Museum of Pashion and Costurne, while the latter has become the famous Musée d'Orsay, devoted to the 19th century as all art-lovers know. The site, layout and services of our usual sales venue, Drouor-Richelieu, are fine for day-today sales but no longer meet the demands of international clients - be they buyers or sellers - attracted by our

prestige sales. Today, such a rop-level public demands that the setting, atmosphere and range of services live up to the image of a capital like Paris. All of their requirements will be met at the Théatre des Champs-Elysées.

The treaty of Rome will be fully applied in 1992. It calls for the free circulation of goods and people within the European Community. This will help competitors from other member-countries to see up in France and to exercise professions which, like yours, are currently protected. Doesn't that

We will certainly need to harmonize the status of members of our profession. In France auctioneers are considered as "referees" between two parties; elsewhere they are tradesmen. But there must also be a reduction of the existing disparities concerning auction taxes: these are crippling in France when compared to, say, the United Kingdom. This situation cannot continue. It deprives us of the means to invest at a time

when we need to work on and

convince our prospective cli-

What do you mean by "next to barmonize our status"? Might you be prepared to abandon your role as State-appointed officials? We are considering the

need to change our status, which dates from the 16th century, but I must underline that it would make sense for us to keep our role as referee between seller and buyer, guaranteeing our customers a real public service; this should not prove impossible. Take the Swiss confederation, for instance, where legislation varies from one canton to another without citizens being forbidden to travel or settle wherever they choose. I could cite other examples; each state in the United States of America has its own laws, for in-

What changes in the commissaire-priseur's role do you consider necessary?

Links between the commissaires-priseurs must be tightened. The French are highly individualist by nature, but

It is vital that - grouped together under the name of "Drouot" - we present a united front powerful enough to resist the multifarious dangers embodied by foreign aucrion houses. Drouor-Montaigne aims to achieve this via

continued desire for indepen-

dence would be our downfall.

permanent facilities, highly qualified personnel and services equal to anything provided by the British or Americans. Drouot-Montaigne will enable the body of commissaires-priscurs, as a whole, to deal with affairs of international standing that some may find difficult to cope with alone. The idea is to bring together both the men and the objects required to stage topquality sales.

A major collection of modern paintings, the Georges Renand Collection, will shortly be up for auction in Paris. How do you intend to exploit this good for-

Yes, the dispersion of one of the century's most imporrant collections of modern paintings is great news for the major name on the international auction scene and dem-Joël-Marie onstrate our ability to carry off Millon, President sales of the highest quality. As of the Drouot for 1992, I'm optimistic: we'll be ready, whatever happens! Françoise de Perthuis



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# Hammers in Competition

★HE buzz from Paris has rarely been so positive. Under the energetic leadership of Joël-Marie Millon, the city's auctioneers are making unprecedented efforts to convince the public and the media of their international competitivity. That means matching the

pace ser by London and New York for modern paintings especially the headline-hogging Impressionist and Post-Impressionist schools. Van Gogh broke all records in London last March with £24.75 million for Sunflowers. Following that, Le Pont de Trinquetaille drew over £12 million in June In 1986 the top international bid was £7 million for Manet's Rue Mosnier aux Paveurs - again in London. Compared to these prices, Drouor's record of 13.8 million francs, established in June for Moner's Bouquet of Chrysanthemums, seems less than sensational

Yet it was the first time the 10-million franc barrier had been broken. The Paris art market received a psychological boost and now awaits the Renand sale in November with increased confidence. The Monet record is certain to prove short-lived and may be left far behind.

Ader-Picard-Tajan, the leading auction house in Paris, is renowned for its sales of signed and dated lower left, auctioned June 23, 1987 at Hôtel Drouot for 13.8 million francs (Boscher et Studer). auction practices seem to be modern pictures, which account for a quarter of its annugetting more and more dubial turnover of around 400 milous." He cites the notorious lion francs. Partner Jean-Louis rales of unbought paintings being announced as sold, and Picard is adamant that Paris must concentrate on modern rumors of cur-throat competiart to affirm its international tion to gain works that will

Claude Monet, "Bouquet de Fleurs" (1878), 54 x 72 cm

attain "world record" prices. The result? Would-be sellers refuse to contemplate the possibility of saleroom failure and set exaggerated minimum or "reserve" prices for their works. Embarrassing "buyingin" (unsold) percentages often follow. Picture sales in Paris resist such delusions of grandeur and the Drouot's annual buying-in rate works out

at a respectable 15 percent. Picard also cites the recent

"defections" of Eric Turquin and Marc Blondeau from Sotheby's as an indication that "clearly all is not perfect amongst the British ranks." Turquin, an old master expert, and Blondeau, one of the world's leading authorities on . Impressionism, have both moved to Paris, where Turquin has already collaborated with Ader-Picard-Tajan.

"I feel much less inhibited here," explains Turquin. "In London you're part of a very big system, a lot of people have left because they didn't want to be a simple employ-

Marc Blondeau also sees the positive side of the Paris Art Market. "All credit to Jöel-Marie Millon for recognizing the need for commissaire-priscurs to group together. The Renand sale should boost morale. It certainly is the best in Paris in the last chirty years."

Turquin continues: "Commissaires-priseurs are nor waiting for the law to change - they are changing things of their own accord. And this is where the pictures are! There will be some outstanding old masters in Paris this season, including superb works by Veronese and Van Baburen."

While the Drougt atterapts to increase its supply of top-ranking modern paintings, it can already bank on a

steady presence of quality works by minor impressionists and sought-after 20th cencury French-based artists. The 2.3 million francs taken last year for Eugène Boudin's Venetian view of La Salute, Début du Grand Canal Was 2 record for the artist. The commercially popular Foujita, Marquer, Laurencin and Duty are seldom absent from Paris salerooms. After years of price stagnation, the street-scenes of the prolific Uttillo and Vlaminck have been showing signs of resurgence.

Paris has clout in other domains: old master pictures; 18th century French furniture; obiets de vertu; books and manuscripts; Islamic art; French silverware; and coins. In 1986, the most expensive old master in Paris was an early 15th century Annunciation, armbuted to the circle of Gentile da Fabriano, ar 3.2 million francs. The best price

Right now, Picard is busy preparing for the three major auctions - old masters, 18th century furniture and modern pictures - to be held at Drouor-Montaigne. Paintings by Renoir, Dufy, Bonnard, Boudin, Pissarro and Utrillo top the bill, together with a muscular collection of 19thcentury drawings headed by Toulouse-Lautrec. These sales are scheduled for November 22, just two days after Joël-

Marie Millon inaugurates the

new theater venue with the

blockbuster Renand collec-

tion. The stage is set for the

for French furniture was 1.19

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most important 48 hours in Drouor's history. - Simon Hewitt

# Gearing Up for 1992

T is widely agreed that France in general, and Paris in particular, no longer dominates the international art market — and hasn't for twenty years. Yet last year's net revenue from zuctions in Paris exceeded 1.566 billion francs, up nearly 10 percent on 1985. Sales of paintings, furniture and works of art (vintage cars included) represent almost 85 percent of the Paris sales volume and more than 60 percent of total

auction revenue in France. Not so long ago, auctions of paintings, furniture and works of art were attended only by dealers, collectors and connoisseurs. Now they attract an increasing number of private buyers. But the best paintings, furniture and works of art, are to be found in salerooms in London, New York, Geneva, Monaco and even Hong Kong.

Why has Paris declined? For one thing, auctions take place where the largest number of wealthy potential buyers can be attracted. But this is not the only reason: private buyers and representatives of tions don't hesitate to come to Paris if the pictures or objects available are sufficiently im-

for sale of international quality. French commissaires-priscurs have stepped up their attempts to become more compensione, but all their efforts could prove fruitless if

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ing. The present French government, committed to economic liberalism, can solve the problem. But, like most governments, it is reluctant to relinquish such a valuable source of revenue.

Buyers' costs are virtually the same wherever the auction. is held; an extra 1-2 percent is hardly likely to deter a collector willing to pay 5 million francs for a picture estimated at 2.5 million francs.

But whereas Sotheby's, Christic's, Phillips and other international auction houses receive 10 percent on sales (except for VAT where appopriate), French commissairespriseurs pay 7 percent in registration duty back to the state. This is the crux of the matter: British auction houses make considerably more profit from the buyer, enabling them to offer more attractive terms to the vendor and so secure prestige collections which, in turn, attract other major collections.

In 1992, with the creation of a single European market, the different sale conditions existing in the European comtheory, British auction houses will be able to hold sales in France, while the French commissaires-priscurs should be able to hold sales elsewhere in the Community on an equal fiscal footing.

But if the French government fails to act between now and 1992, the gap between the French and English-speaking markets could broaden and become difficult, if not impossible, for the French to close.

- Richard Percy

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# What's in a Bid?

credibility. "The competition

between Paris, London and

New York to artract potential

sellers basically concerns pres-

tige items only, and modern

paintings most of all. The

Renand sale could be a turn-

ing point. We need to regain

the confidence of French sell-

theme in Picard's analysis.

"People can start to doubt,

very quickly," he says, "and

"Confidence" is a recurring

#### Vendor's Costs

PARIS: —The vendor receives a sum equal to the hammer price less 8.5%-20%, depending on the type of sale. Preferential rates may be applied in the case of a

major collection, but standard charges can include: — 5% for auctioneers' fees (7% in the case of court-order sales), subject to VAT at 18.6%.

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pending upon the field), subect to VAT at 18.6%. -Surplus tax of up to 4% on items whose value exceeds 20,000 francs.

-For plastic and graphic works (modern paintings, for example) bearing a recent sig-

his object. This is rarely the nature, a 3% Succession tax is applied

#### LONDON: - 10% plus VAT at 1.5%

#### NEW YORK:

- 10%, but in most cases insurance, transport, photographic and advertising costs should be added. If the picture, piece of furniture or work of art does not reach its reserve price (a price below which the object cannot be sold, agreed on by the commissaire-priseur/auctioneer and the vendor), the buying-in costs are charged to the seller; these correspond to 1%-6% of the last bid — the usual figure is 3%. At Christic's the figure is 2.5% if the reserve price has been specified by the

seller, who must also pay the

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Buyer's Costs

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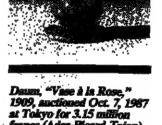
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portant. The root cause of the Paris decline is cost. Vendors turn to London, New York or Geneva when they have works

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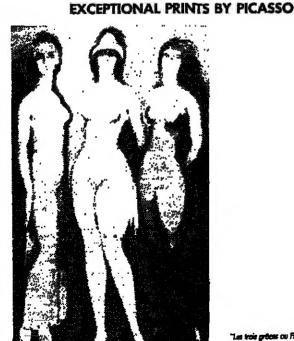
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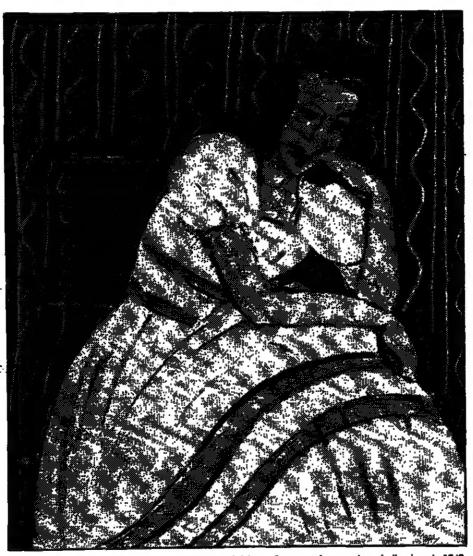


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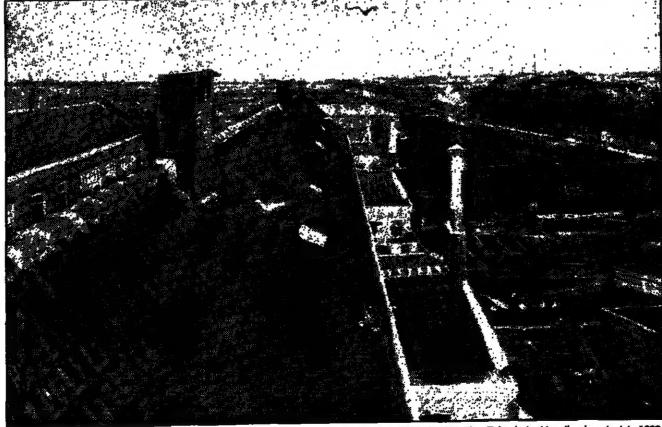
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## Upcoming Sales in Paris

Ader-Picard-Tajan

With its recent sales in Tokyo, annual sales in Monaco and offices in New York, Lausanne, Tokyo and Monaco. Ader-Picard-Tajan is firmly established outside France. Turnover figures have progressed rapidly over recent years, especially in the field of modern paintings: 37 million francs in 1985, 70 million francs in 1986 and a projected 120 million francs for 1987.

Ader-Picard-Tajan also holds the world record price for an item of furniture: 16,650,000 francs for a Louis XVI Beneman-stamped cabiner, formerly the property of Louis XV's daughter Adélaide and housed in the Château of Versailles. It was sold in Monaco in November 1984 and has since been returned to Versailles by its new owner. November 22: Ader-Picard-

Drouot-Montaigne on this date. The Modern Paintings are led by Moner's Arbres au Bord de L'East (1885), Pissarto's Verger à Pontoise (1877) and works by Braque, Dufy and Boudin. The Old Master sale boasts two works by Francesco Guardi and one by Fragonard, while highlights of the Furniture & Objets d'Art include mounted porcelain and 18th century Strasbourg

Audap-Godeau-Solanet

December 16: Major works by Salvador Dali are rarely seen at auction in Europe, so his Composition (1926, modified in the mid-30s) should attract considerable attention. Other highlights of a varied sale: good 19th and 20th century French paintings (Vlaminck, Matisse and Chasseriau) with, notably. Rouault's

Tajan is staging three sales at Ecce Home; old masters, including a composition by Hubert Robert.

Briest

24 November; Modern and contemporary paintings are a house specialty. On offer this time are works by Magritte, Tanguy, Yves Klein, Dubuffet, Fontana and Max Ernst (oil and collage), together with Renoir's impressive Femme Assise dans un Parc and Henri Martin's view of the Port of Marseille

December 16: Just to prove that you can still find buried treasure in France, this sale is dominated by silver and gold coins from the reigns of Louis XIII and Louis XIV. discovered by workmen in Normandy in November.

Charbonneaux

November 27: Another of the house's regular moderncontemporary art sales, with prestigious works by Alentour, Alberola, Andy Warhol, Van Doesburg, Picabia and Undertwasser and, notably a Penme (1928) by Czaky a Tete (1908) by Zadkine and a cable by Diego Giacometti.

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works by Feure, Burne-Jones,

November 30: Alberto Gia-

comerti's brother Diego is

also an excellent sculptor and

shouldn't be underestimated!

Keen bidding is expected for

his bronze Le Chat Maitre

d'Hôtel (1967) and idiosyncrat-

ic furniture (armchairs, stools

December 2: Clocks are

something of a Chayette-Cal-

mels specialty and rare gold

19th century clocks provide

Cornette de St-Cyr

ed to Russian Ballet, with

high quality works from the

Alexandre Benois Collection

and the studios of Charpen-

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November 9: 19th century

furniture and objets d'art,

which have increased steadily

in value over recent years,

form the basis of this sale. A

November 4: A sale devoc-

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Mucha, Mossa and Moreau.

November 24: Symbolist

number of items hall from a North American collection. while bronzes from the Dieterl Collection - by Doré, Mêne, Barye, Carpeaux - are also prominent.

November 13: An-Nouveau and Art-Deco glassware. November 25: Modern paintings, including works by Boudin, Vlaminck and Picabia, plus an original plastercasting by Pompon, offered by the sculptor to Art Deco lacquerer Margar. December 8: Sumptuous

jewelry and 17th century sil-

Couturier-Nicolay

December 4: A guéridon rable adorned with plaques in Sèvres porcelain, representing the Manes and the Chariot of Apollo, is the star attraction. It originally belonged to King lérôme Bonaparte and was kept in the Château of Villandry. Several other objects in the sale come from the Rothschild collections, including two large bronze groups: one after Marsy and Flamen, the other signed Girardon. The old masters available are led by 17th century Utrecht artist Dirck van Baburen, His Death of Uriab could fetch five million francs.

Danssy

November 26: A sale devoted to over 100 modern prints by Icart, Alentour, Millière, Ablett, Chimot and Hardy. They were sequired for knock-down prices by a private buyer between 1900-30 and are now worth their weight in gold.

Delorme

December 21: 18th century furniture with a plethora of prestigious stamps - Dubois, Petit, Boudin, Garnier, R.V.L.C., Vassou and Migeon. Note also an Empire salon suite that belonged to Cambacérès, and an extraordinary lacquered secretaire adorned with gold insects and birds.

Enghien-les-Bains

Enghien, just north of Paris, grew up in the 19th century because of the healing quality of its thermal springs. Today it is better know for its auction room: sales of modern paintings and Art Nouvesu/Art Deco objects pull in buyers from all over the world.

November 29: Auctioneers Champin-Lombrail-Gautier will be knocking down a number of fine modern works, including two Picassos: Buste de Femme (June 1953) and Nature Morte au Panier de Fruits et Pot de Plans (August 1942), exhibited at the Victoria & Albest Museum in 1945. A typical early portrait by Derain, Femme en Jaune sur Fond Bleu (panel, 1904), also stands out. Labot-Thierry

December 7/8: Last June, 2 Los Angeles collector chose Labat Thierry to sell his 19th century French furniture and objets d'art. Prices were high and, several other American vendous have since followed his example. Items from their collections will be under the hammer along with furniture and objets d'art that belonged to Louis II and Princess Ghis-

laine of Monaco. Old masters by Hubert Robert and Panini are on the menu, too. Langin-Guilloux-

Buffetand-Tailleur

November 26: Sales of books and manuscripts are a house specialry: in 1985 a 16th century Gaspel, now in the Bibliochèque Nationale, was knocked down for all of 8 million francs. Manuscripts from the collections of Armand Godoy and Guillaume Apollinaire will be available here, notably several letters from Gustave Flaubert to Charles Baudelaire.

November 27: A painting by Utrillo (White Period) heads the modern pictures, followed by a fauvist Paysage du Midi (1906) by Othon Friesz and works by Marie Laurencin, Vlaminck and Po-

Libert-Castor

December 3: Top lot should be an historic Savonnerie carpet (7 meters long) with intricate floral decor that has hitherto remained in the châreau in central France for which it was ordered in 1752. Other attractions include an ensemble of gouaches executed in Canton for the Dutch Consul in 1829; a superb pair of 18th century Italian mythological groups.

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stages a number of major modern painting sales each year and will be hoping to repeat this autumn the interthe famous Aimé & Marguerite Macght Collection in 1982 and 1984. Fernand Léger's Garçon de Café (1920) and Van Dongen's Trois Femmes (1909) are both estimated at 5-7 million francs. Other imporcant works include La Penne aux Mains Jointes (1924) by Juan Gris and Cripustale by Rouzult. A Picasso engraving, La Fenne qui Pleure (1937), should attain a mighty 21/2-3 million francs, while another aquatint/dry-point exching by the same artist, La Feneme au Tambour (1939), won't be izr behind.

Maitre Blache November 15: A still life by Kremegne, a view of the

are among the major attractions of this modern picture sale in Versailles. Maitre Blache regularly arrracts international attention, especially with its world renowned Floralies and has helped popularize many of the lesser known Post Impressionists. Mathias-Le Roux

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December 2: An exceptional collection of 18th and 19th century furniture and objets d'art, including works by Tiepolo and Redoute; an anonymous statue of a young woman symbolizing Spring (height. 156 cm); and a superbly carved gilt-wood Louis XV console-rable.

Millon-Jutheau

December 9: Furniture highlight is a prestigious Louis XV suite, stamped Burgat and comprising 10 armchairs, a pair of bergeres, a pair of chairs and an unusual pair of asymmetrical canapes "en lit d'ange." Quality modem paintings will include Renoir's Fenone Dantant en Cattume d'Italienne (1881), Boudin's Vue de Venise, Sislev's Seine à St-Cloud and 2 view of Montmartre by Oguiss, a Japanese member of the School of Paris who died last year. Prices for works by Oguiss are currently rising as rapidly as those for his compatriot Foujita a few years ago. This work - a triptych could fetch 2 million francs.

Oger-Dumont

November 4: Art Nouveau and Arr Deco glassware by Daum, Gallé and Lalique. Oger-Dumont will be hoping to repeat last May's success with the Boquet Collection: one Galle vase A la Rose cleared 1.2 million francs and another, with a forest scene, made nearly 1.6 million francs.

December 1: Jewelry and ancient sculpture, led by a marble Roman statue of

Paris-Auction

The name "Paris-Auction" covers six small but ambitious Paris auction houses: de Cagny, Cardiner, Dumousser, Hochanx, Countrier and Ribeyre. This autumn they have lined up two major, wideranging sales to prove that union is strength. Highlights.

November 20: Affrontement de Cavalerie by Martson de Jonge (17th century Dutch School).

November 23: A major oil by Bonnard, Jesme Fille Jouant aver un Chien (1913), bought after its completion by Bernheim and since exhibited in Paris, London, Munich and Tokyo, Marquet, Vallotton and Bourdelle will also be rep-

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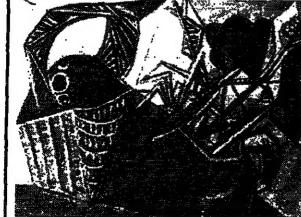
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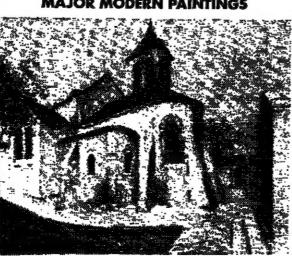
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#### A Solid Appraisal Means **More Than a Report Card**

By SHERRY BUCHANAN

ARIS — Merit pay increases are coming into wider use in Europe, and with them, the ritual of the annual review.

Appraisals of performance are in turn spawning efforts to bolster employee motivation and to make sure the light executives are matched with the right jobs.

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For American companies, "Management by Objective," as it is mown in corporate-speak, is longstanding practice. Performance s evaluated against a series of goals. Raises, bonuses and promojons are based on that rating, which becomes part of an employ-In Europe, where automatic annual pay raises have been

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nodest in recent years beause of a slowdown in inflaion, office meritocracy is a new but increasingly popular

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ligel Dyckhoff, a consultant with Spencer Stuart, the executive search firm in London.

A survey of French companies by Hay-France, a management onsulting firm, indicated that 37 percent will base executive aises this year solely on merit, compared with 18 percent in 1985. ixty percent of the companies said their decisions on executive sises would be based at least partly on merit.

All this means that many executives must now learn to ap-

raise as well as manage.
"For French personnel managers, it's like having a new job," aid Laurent Dufetel, director of human resources at Hay-France 1 Paris. "Before, a good personnel manager was judged according to how well they negotiated with the unions. Now they have to arn how to train line managers to set up and conduct perfor-: nance appraisals."

Experts say that a good performance review should not resem-le a school report card, which grades a child on subjects about thich he or she has very little to say. First, a boss should discuss nd negotiate what an employee's goals should be. Next, there nould be frequent reviews, so the employee does not learn too te that he failed to meet expectations.

The most important point is that there be a constant dialogue etween boss and subordinate throughout the year," said Flisa-eth Martini of Hewlett-Packard France, the French subsidiary f the U.S. computer group.

Quantitative performance, like sales, production, and even ustomer satisfaction, is relatively easy to measure. But a qualitawe appraisal, which basically requires passing judgment on meone's behavior, is another story. To reduce an employee's efensiveness, specific incidents — good and bad — should be corded and kept on file. At appraisal time, the good should be rentioned along with the no-so-good. Sweeping generalizations - bout character are likely to be counterproductive.

"One thing we have to explain to French managers is that efformance appraisals are not supposed to be like the last udgment Day, where the boss decides who goes to hell and who oes to heaven," said Mr. Dufetel of Hay-France.

A good appraisal covers the employee's plans for the future nd his training. This is especially important for executives who re not working at their capacity because they are in the wrong

. What happens when an employee disagrees with the appraisal md cannot sway the boss? A few companies allow employees toppen. At Hay-France, a manager must discuss with colleagues he appraisal he has prepared before meeting with the employee. Knowing that he will have to defend his appraisal before peers educes the likelihood that he will judge someone arbitrarily.

# Losses Loom in **BP** Offer

#### £1 Billion Is Possible on Paper

By Warren Getler International Herald Tribun

LONDON - It lurched, it stalled, it choked. But finally the world's largest-ever equity offering got off the ground. By the close of trading Friday, the British Petro-

training Friday, the British Petro-leum Co. issue was airborne.

Some people thought it shouldn't be. For example, underwriters who had signed up to support the massive share offering stand to lose £1 billion (\$1.7 hillion) on paper.

Britain's last-minute decision to proceed with the \$72 hillion offer.

proceed with the £7.2 billion offer was, at times, as tense as the countdown for a rocket lannch.

Underwriters, opposition leaders and even foreign finance ministers opposed going ahead with the sale. However, for domestic political reasons, the BP offer was virtually irrevocable since it represented what many officials considered to be the crown jewel in the govern-ment's effort to sell off state-owned

Britain's Labor Party has been strongly opposed to Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's privatization efforts and has criticized the goveroment for being too supportive of the interests of Britain's financial services community.

Now, with trading in the BP

shares under way, market reaction in London has turned from appre-bension to relief, even restramed The reason is that the Bank of

England is providing a safety net in the form of a buyback offer to limit the financial risk and potential market turnoil implied in a heavily undersubscribed laste.

The British chancellor of the Exchequer, Nigel Lawson, "has to be given credit for showing ingennity under considerable pressure," said Kenneth Inglis, an equity-market forecaster with the London brokers, Phillip & Drew.

"The BP offer, as amended, has helped bring back a lot of buying interests."

into the London market that we

hadn't seen for days."

When the final tally of applications for the 2.19 billion BP shares ilable was made Friday, only 270,234 investors had signed up for a total of 70.7 million shares. The shares were being offered at 330

The government's hope of at-See BP, Page 15



THANK HEAVENS — A trader showing relief as stock prices rebound in Paris. On Friday, the all-share Bourse indicator climbed 4.68 percent, its second straight increase.

# **U.S. Indicators** Slip 0.1%, First Fall in 8 Months

WASHINGTON - The U.S. government's chief gauge of future economic activity slipped 0.1 percent in September, the first decline in eight months, the Commerce Department reported Friday. Many economists believe the set-

back for the index of leading eco-nomic indicators is the first of what will be a series of declines caused by the collapse of the stock market. However, government analysts cautioned that much of the weakness in September came from a drop in the length of the average work week. They said that this decline was misleading because the survey of work-week hours was conducted in the week that included the Labor Day holiday, which depressed the results.

This was the biggest negative force on the index in September, followed by a decline in the stock market reflected by a 3.2 percent September drop in the Standard & Poor index of 500 stocks.

This weakness reflected the fact that despite the stock market rout that began two weeks ago, share prices were already heading lower in September following record

Two other indicators contributing to the decline were changes in the prices for raw materials and a drop in plant and equipment or-

The 0.1 percent decline in th index was the first drop since a 0.6 percent fall in January.

Four of the nine available indicators were positive. The biggest source of strength was a slowdown in business delivery times, indicating increased demand. Other positive forces on the index were a drop in weekly unemployment claims, a rise in manufacturers' orders for consumer goods and a jump in the money supply.

Analysis said that the record col-

lapse of the stock market this month is likely to have three times the negative impact on the October index that the September fall had on that month's indicators.

Michael Evans, head of a Washington forecasting firm, said he ex-pected the index to decline for at least three months and predicted a mild recession starting early next

David Wyss, an economist at Data Resources Inc. of Lexington, Massachusetts, said he also believed it was possible that the index would fall for three months. But he said that the declines might be small, with the stock market weakness offset by strength in other seg-

ments of the economy.
"That would be consistent with our forecast that the economy will scrape close to a recession next year but avoid an outright recession," he

■ New Home Sales Fall 5%

Sales of new homes fell 5.2 percent in September, the Commerce Department said in another report. It said that new single-family homes were sold at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 656,000 units last month following in-

creases of 2.5 percent in August and 5.3 percent in July. The September setback was the biggest sales decline since an 11.5 percent drop in April. Analysis attributed the weakness to a big rise

in mortgage rates. The drop in sales for September was accompanied by a sharp increase in home prices. The median

price of a new home shot up by 8.5 percent to \$115,600 while the average price of a home rose 7.9 percent to \$139,800.

# NASDAQ Tarnished by Failure to Handle Deluge

By Alison Leigh Cowan

NEW YORK — For the last few years, the fast-growing NASDAQ over-the-counter market has been the darling of investors and corpo-

In addition to providing a home for the stocks of such success stories as Apple Comput-

stocks of such success stories as Apple Computer Corp. and the semiconductor maker intel Corp., the computerized system is regarded as a model for stock exchanges around the world.

But, after failing to cope with the crush of customer orders that accompanied the Oct. 19 stock market rout, NASDAQ, the second-largest U.S. stock market with a capitalization of \$450 billion, does not seem quite so clever any more.

As the market plunged that day, frantic cus-tomers could not get through to many of the dealers responsible for making markets in overe-counter stocks.

Some customers contend that these market makers panicked and abandoned their posts. "It's clear a number of market makers saw their capital impaired and ran for cover," said Edward J. Mathias, president of New Horizons Fund, a mutual fund specializing in emerging

National Association of Securities Dealers, the Washington-based group that oversees the 4,781 companies traded over the counter, contended that market makers were simply over-

"They were humanly unable to answer phones because the calls coming in were so voluminous," said Joseph R. Hardiman, president of the association

Arthur Kontos, president of Troster Singer, a large over-the-counter market maker, said, "No way are you going to anticipate doubling your volume overnight." Whatever the reason, almost everyone agrees

that customers did not receive proper service. "The liquidity in many stocks just wasn't there," Mr. Mathias said.

The answer to what actually happened on Oct. 19 is more than academic. The over-thecounter market and the leading exchanges, the New York Stock Exchange and the American Stock Exchange, compete heavily for corporate

Even though the public trading of stocks does not directly affect the companies that issue them, corporations do care about the market for their shares. For one th growth stocks. "I don't think anybody was willing to stand in front of a speeding train."

However, several dealers and officials of the quent financings often depends to some extent

ing in the market.
Finally, even if it is unfair, many sharehold-

ers hold the corporation responsible if they cannot easily buy or sell its shares. It is too early to tell how the market makers' performance will affect the preferences of the 2,100 companies now traded over the counter

hat are also eligible for listing on the New York While declining to be specific, Richard Tor-renzano, a spokesman for the New York Stock Exchange, said that "a number of companies"

rities Dealers Automated Quotations system had approached his exchange in the last 10 Kenneth R. Leibler, president of the American Stock Exchange, said that NASDAO's problems might provide an opportunity for his exchange, though "nothing has materialized

now listed on the National Association of Secu-

So far, of the 10 largest corporations traded over the counter, only one has moved to another exchange since Oct. 19, and that company, PNC Financial Corp., said it had made the

decision months ago, long before the market

John C. Malone, chief executive of Tele-See NASDAQ, Page 13

# Dow Jones? Didn't He Own a Spread Near Decorah?

#### Japan's Surplus In Trade Grew In September

Compiled by Our Staff From Dupatches

TOKYO - Japan's surplus on current account, the broadest trade measure, widened to \$8.34 billion in September from \$5.31 billion in August but narrowed from a year earlier, the Finance Ministry said Friday.

The ministry said the surplus narrowed from \$9.24 billion in September last year, the fifth straight monthly decline on a year-to-year basis.

A ministry official said that the dollar's decline against the yen "is responsible in large measure for the diminishing trend" in the surplus on current account, which measures investment income and services such as shipping and insurance,

as well as merchandise trade, On the basis of merchandise trade only, the surplus widened to \$8.45 billion in September from \$6.21 billion in August, but narrowed from a surplus of \$9.86 billion a year earlier. Exports in September rose by about 6 percent from a year earlier to \$19.9 billion, while imports surged around 24 per-cent, to \$11 billion.

(AP, Reuters)

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stock awalle back," he slowly re-so the small crowd waiting at veals. "But you got to go get a Meyer's 66 Cafe for Dick Gephardt broker and everything, and it was to make a campaign appearance just too much trouble." It turns out wasn't very surprised when Mr. Gephardt's advance man an- Postville, and the closest brokerage nounced that the Democratic presi- is about 50 miles away in Waterloo.

dential candidate was running late.

Everybody here knows how hard it is to get to Postville. After all, the interstate is a hundred miles (160

"I don't believe many invest," said the Postville mayor, James Ewing. "I just wonder if they have that kind of money." But of course, the main reason
Besides, with the harvest already
Postville isn't thinking about Wall

state of Postville, population 1,500. their future. One thing they weren't talking about with much concern, though, was the stock market crash. "If you walk into the bank here

"Most of our stock is out running in the field," adds Leo Jaimke, a city councilman.
Postville, you see, like so many other small farming towns in the Midwest, is even farther removed psychologically from Wall Street

than it is geographically. Few people around town own stock, and those that do are pretty closed-mouthed about it. In a plain little hamlet that is just emerging from the wrenching farm crisis, the fortunate, the area's handful of land-rich farmers and affluent professionals, don't brag.
"There's very little talk about it,

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Los Angeles Times Service
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because very few fiddle with it,"
says Robert Gruhn, a stone-faced
semiretized farmer. "The veterinaris pretty much a long way from everywhere, except maybe Waukon and Decorah, and even folks in lowa will tell you that's not saying a whole lot.

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"I thought about buying a little stock awhile back," he slowly re-

in nobody was in much of a hurry.

Now, they just had a little more time to sit with their coffee and chat among themselves about the crisis that is just ending has left state of the world, or at least the them dazed and confused about

At the same time, many here are now concentrating on the presiden-tial race that is already in full gear across Iowa, home to February's and start talking about stock, you first contest in the 1988 campaign, better have four legs, because that's And frankly, they are looking hard the only kind of stock they know to find a candidate who will help about around here," says Don Col-Jowa, not those New York finanvin, a retiree who used to invest. ciers who never showed much sym-"Most of our stock is out running pathy for the Midwest's troubles in the field," adds Leo Jahnke, a earlier in the decade.

That's why they are here to listen to Richard A. Gephardt, a Missou-ri congressman who has the backing of militant farm groups in Iowa because of his support for radical legislation designed to save the

These people on Wall Street, they're no different from farmers who borrowed money to pay

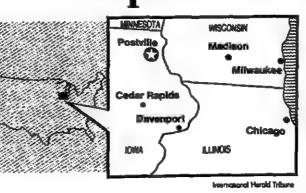
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If you walk into the bank here and start talking about stock, you better have four legs, because that's the only kind of stock they know about around here.

- Don Colvin, Postville retiree

\$3,000 an acre for land back in the Postville-area farmers checking out 1970s," says Mr. Gruhn. "They just got greedy, and they got smald."

Adds Edith Cless: "One thing people are glad to see they yuppies

"What we're wondering," she says, "is when is it going to hit us, when is it going to start to affect regular people. This is a dairy area, and a hog-raising area. I want to know what is this going to do to hog and beef prices, to milk prices."

"I was out in the field when I heard the market fell 500 points, but I didn't pay much attention," says Pat McNally, who grows hay and raises hogs and cattle with his father on a 350-acre (140-hectare) family farm. get their comeuppance."

Indeed, while few here have 'Pro-Farmer' (a commodity news monitored the Dow Jones industri- service) to see how the commod-

their home computers or their quote machines to see how agricultural commodity futures prices have reacted to the collapse in the

"But I went in and looked at

al average in recent days, there ities markets were doing." To his have been plenty of sophisticated, dismay, he has found hog futures

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#### down the limit in recent trading sessions. "People follow the commodity markets a lot more than stocks,

because that's what they are involved in," observes Mr. McNally. "Out here, you can see commodities, you can see whether people are raising more hogs, or are participating in federal programs, so you feel like you know something about the commodity markets."

in fact, Mr. McNally's father used to speculate in futures; with so many grain and livestock brokers in the area capable of making futures trades, it's easier to invest in commodities in Postville than in

"People here know more about hogs than they do about General Motors or General Electric," adds

Finally, Mr. Gephardt sped into town in his campaign van, and Meyer's 66 Cafe settled down to listen to the candidate's speech, in which he mentioned the stock market once, agriculture many times.

"We've got mountains of corn going to rot in this state," Mr. Gephardt said. "I'm not satisfied that we've got farmers working hard and getting nothing for it." There

was appreciative applause.

"I'd be happy to take your questions," he added. There was not a single one about

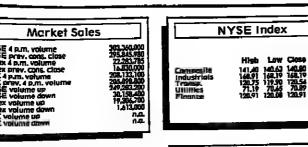
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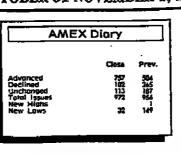
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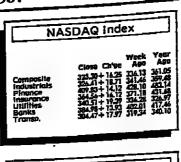
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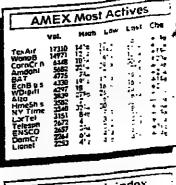
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the fact that the NYSE has closed two hours early, at 2 P.M., since Oct. 23 to make it easier to process the unprecedented volume of trades that accompanied last week's traumatic market

The New York Stock Exchange said Friday that it would begin to return to normal trading

hours in stages.

Trading will be extended to 2:30 P.M. Monday through Wednesday, to 3 P.M. on Thursday and Friday, and back to the normal closing time of 4 P.M. on Nov. 9.

Traders said the market was relieved on Friday by the fact that the British government would take steps to support the shares of British Petroleum Co. after an offering of more than

\$12 billion of the stock. There had been fears that the offering would be a disruptive force at a time when the markets were already on the defensive. Interest rates on short-term U.S. Treasury

bills rose in the credit markets on Friday, but the market was not disturbed, traders said. While upward moves in interest rates are usually regarded as a negative for stocks, this issually regarded as a figural that time the increase was interpreted as a signal that money was venturing back out of the safe ha-vens it sought in recent days and returning to

the stock market.

"It's too early to say we hit bottom and that we will go higher in the short run, but the market's action has been very positive," said Eugene Peroni Jr., technical analyst at Janney Montgomery Scott Inc. in Philadelphia. Monte Gordon, research director at Dreyfus

Corp., said he felt the market may have bottomed somewhere in the area between 1,700 and 1,800 on the Dow. But he said the market remained fragile. "The market is still in the intensive care

mit," he said. Traders said three days of relative market stability, including a strong showing on Thurs-day, attracted buying by mutual fund operators, big and small pension funds, banks and insur-

ance companies. ance companies.

"People are feeling extremely encouraged by
the advances Thursday and today, and we are
winessing something that is bordering on confidence," said Jon Groveman, a stock trader
with Ladenburg Thalmann & Co.

Wall Street's ability to shake off developments such as the dollar's decline Thursday,
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"indicates an oversold market won't go down on bad news anymore," said Robert Colby, an analyst with Smith Barney, Harris Upham and Co. brokerage firm.

The NYSE also said it had extended until

further notice its request to member firms to refrain from using the exchange's automated systems to execute computer-driven program trades for its customers. British Petroleum was the most active NYSEhisted issue, closing at 174. Tenneco followed, up 1% to 44%. AT&T was third, climbing 1/2 to

Union Carbide added 2% to 21½. Among other chemical issues, Raychem climbed 10% to 1274, Monsanto jumped 6% to 70%, and Dow Chemical rose 4% to 74.

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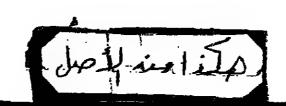
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OPEC Boosted Crude Reserves To 74% of World Total in '86

VIENNA - OPEC nations boosted their share of proven crude oil reserves to 74.1 percent of the world total in 1986 from 69.6 percent in 1985, the Organization of Petroleum Export-ing Countries said in its annual statistical bulle-

Proven OPEC reserves rose by 107.49 billion barrels to 644.47 billion barrels at the end of 1986, when total world reserves totaled 869.48 billion barrels, the bulletin said.

The OPEC deputy secretary-general, Fadhil al-Chalabi, noted in the bulletin that the rise in OPEC reserves took place despite a collapse in prices and an 18 percent fall in drilling activities by OPEC members.

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# Stocks Surge in Tokyo, Europe

#### London Is Up 67, but Down For the Week

LONDON -Stock prices ended higher Europe Friday as buyers came back to the markets amid

In London, the Financial Times-Stock Exchange 100-share index closed up 67.80 points, or 4.03 percent, at 1,749.80 points, extending Thursday's gain of 23.60 points. For the week, however, the index was down about 2.5 percent.

Volume was high, with more than 932 million shares changing shares in British Petroleum Co.

Dealers said that the better-thanexpected debut of the BP shares, coupled with an opening rally on the New York Stock Exchange, al-lowed the market to extend Thursday's gains. Other shares got a boost from the BP issue, and the FTSE index was up about 90 points at midaternoon before drifting

Hopes for a cut soon in 9.5 percent British base lending rates also lent the stock market some support over the past few days, dealers said.

In Paris, the main bourse indica-tor closed the day up 4.68 percent. Dealers said that most buying activity came from domestic institutions, which were taking what ap-peared to be long-term positions. The bourse will be closed Monday

The Frankfurt Commerzbank index of 60 leading shares rose 98.90 points, or 6.93 percent, to close at 1,526.00. Dealers said domestic buyers had flooded back to the market after gains on other markets in the Far East and Eu-

Opinion about the further direction of share prices was deeply dipected investors to take profits at the start of next week. Friday's dollar stabilization was just a tempo-rary technical correction, they said, if the dollar started to fall again.

In Madrid, the general index rose 10.33 points, or 4.86 percent, to close at 222.68, recovering partially from Thursday's plunge of

The Brussels spot index was up close at 3.955.40. (Remers, AFP) duced last year, is the world's sec- large



LOOK AT ME — A dealer struggling to get attention in Frankfurt, where stock prices rose Friday. The Commerzbank index of 60 shares ended 98.90 points higher.

# Dealers said the government's decision to proceed with its £7.2 billion (\$12.2 billion) BP issue came as a relief. "Now that the uncertainty over BP is over, the market may well be steadier for a while," one dealer said. HONG FONG HONG WARE

HONG KONG — Hang Seng index futures closed sharply lower Friday after the stock market index retreated from a 200-point advance to a closing gain of only 35.61 points, dealers said.

November contracts finished 142 points lower at 2,000 on turnover of 4,366 lots. December was off 80 points at 2,020 on turnover of 435 lots while January, which was newly listed, ended at 2,100 against Thursday's opening of

Dealers said that trading was limited to the liquidation of existing positions as the beleaguered exchange prohibited members from opening new positions.

The chairman of the futures exchange, Wilfrid Newton, said the exchange would give members more time to meet margin calls on

The Hong Kong Futures Guarantee Corp. Ltd. has already filed writs to claim unpaid margins of 1.8 billion Hong Kong dollars (\$230 million) from 34 members of

Most members were exposed to long positions in November contracts, which have lost nearly 50 percent of their value in the past two weeks and ended at 2,000 on

ond most heavily traded stock index instrument.

It has made Hong Kong's futures market the world's second biggest, behind Chicago. But the highly speculative nature of the trading and the recent turbulence on world stock markets pushed the exchange to the verge of collapse this week before infusions of funds.

The Hong Kong government and several financial institutions, in-cluding Beijing's Bank of China, cover defaults by members and avert its collapse.

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Many brokers complained that the funds will only help those who beld short positions.

Special aggreed by wall sheets overnight gains.

The index stood at 1,292.50 for a 0.6 percent gain. The index had

Members holding long positions on behalf of clients say they face defaults by customers and pressure from the exchange for margin pay-

The exchange is considering di-viding its members into two catego-ries: general clearing members. which must have a minimum capital of 25 million dollars, and ordinary members, which need only 10 million dollars but can only trade through the clearing members.

The exchange now has 127 members. All are required to have a

#### Nikkei Rises 731 Yen in 3d-Best Gain

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches
TOKYO — The Tokyo Stock Exchange railied Friday to post its third-largest single-day gain. buoved by an overnight advance on Wall Street and a slight recovery in

the dollar.

The 225-issue Nikker stock average surged by 731.15 yea, or 3.32 percent, to close at 22,765.04 after falling 543.64 points Thursday. Volume was a heetic 934 million shares, up from 721 million.

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Hong Kong share prices also rebounded, although late selling
pressure limited the gain in the
Hang Seng index to 35.61 points,
less than 2 percent. The index,
which had skidded by 165.64
points Thursday, ended at 2.240.13 after broaching the 2,400 level in

Volume in Hong Kong was just
1.7 billion Hong Kong dollars, the
lightest trading in six weeks.
But analysts doubted the gyrations in Asian prices would abate.

"As the foreign exchange market looks still more uncertain, I expect the stock market to keep on going through a corrective phase," said Hitoshi Yamamoto, head of Mor-gan Grenfell International Asset Management Co. in Tokyo.

As in other advances this export-oriented stocks led Tokyo's upswing, particularly shares in electrical, auto and precision instrument companies. Institutional investors spread their buying

across the board in the afternoon. But Hitoshi Miyazaki, an Osaka fund manager at Sumitomo Life mism is warranted" because the Reagan administration had yet to provided a support package of 4 draw up specific measures to trim billion dollars to the exchange to the U.S. budget deficit to help sta-

bilize stock prices, In Sydney, the All-Ordinaries share index closed 7.60 points high-The package comprises a 2 billion dollar loan at the prime rate end an additional 2 billion dollar over the Australian dollar's weakness dampened an early buying spree triggered by Wall Street's

0.6 percent gain. The index had nosedived by 104 points Thursday. Singapore's stock market also rallied, with the Straits Times index climbing 39.61 points to 818.55. The 5.09 percent gain followed a loss of 26.39 Thursday.

In Taiwan, the weighted stock index fell 40.15 points, or 1.5 percent, to close at 2,722.32 despite government efforts to restore investor confidence.

Taiwan's Securities and Exchange Commission lowered mar-gin loan rates and increased the loans available to traders, but bro-

# Traders Cite Strains in France's New OTC Market

PARIS - France's fledgling fi-

nancial futures market, the Matif, has held up well during the worldwide financial chaos of the past two weeks but confidence in the unofficial over-the-counter market has been seriously shaken, according to traders and bourse officials here.

According to analysts, the ex-change, the Marché à Terme des Instruments Financiers, seemed to reinforce each phase of the storm engulfing the markets last week and was contained only by repeated trading suspensions and margin

The convulsions, which have been blamed on traders' inexperience in the 20-month-old market, have triggered widespread specula-tion about which of the exchange's 100 members have been the most seriously damaged. The frenzy may not have calmed down this week, but price swings have taken place at a higher and healthier level, analysts note.

According to Bernard Nan-quette, head of interest rate options for the brokerage Ferri, Ferri & Germe SA, the sixth-largest opera-tor in the Matif, the official market proved its mettle by doing what it was supposed to during a period of sustained financial turbulence.

But, he said, activity in the over-the-counter market has led to a

#### Schwab Loses \$22 Million in Market Turmoil

Washington Post Service

WASHINGTON — Charles Schwab & Co., the nation's largest discount brokerage firm, said Thursday it lost more than \$22 million in the recent stock market collapse, with most of the loss resulting from one corporate customer's inability to make good on losses from speculating in stock options. Schwab said that the custom-

er owed the firm \$84 million after suffering losses on more than 500 stock option positions. Stock options give investors the right to buy or sell stock at a future date and at a specified

Under a court-approved settlement, the customer, whom the firm declined to identify. agreed to pay \$67 million over a live-year period, leaving Schwab to absorb the rest.

serious loss of confidence among operators.

"A strong reluctance to negotiate has developed in the over-the-counter market," he said, "Above all, operators have started to fear the risk of acting as a counterparty, which could signal problems for the future.

percent of the 500,000-franc contracts were traded in the no-(\$85,000) contract value for De-(\$85,000) contract value for De-cember 1987 and then bouncing a value of 41.5 billion francs, comback to 92.20 percent over the two days of trading.
Prices finally ended the week at

around 97 percent. Not all players agree that price limits are worthwhile. Complaining that the trading hours of 10 A.M. to Ferri, nominated as one of the

There's no doubt that the futures market has digested the shock well — there was no rupture in the cash market.

- Plerre Balley, Matif chairman

five market makers for the official 3 P.M. are already too short, some options market when it opens, stopped listing OTC quotations this week and said it has no intention of resuming them. According to Pierre Balley.

chairman of the Matif's governing council, the Matif's 10-year notion al state bond contract acted to cushion the spot market last week against a shutdown. "There's no doubt that the fu-tures market has digested the shock

well - there was no rupture in the cash market," he said. Two maximum one-day price 2,700 contracts on the first day to a falls, known as limit downs, on Oct. record 150,000 early this month,

19. "Black Monday," were fol- now dwarfs trading on the spot lowed the next day by two limit market.
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traders argue that the limits are a prop for the inexperienced, who go for a limit down when they are unsure how to cope with trading On the other hand, Mr. Nan-

quette argues that the exchange should have remained closed for a longer period to allow margin calls to be collected and trading to cool. The Matif, a key element in the deregulation of France's financial markets, opened in February 1986. olume, which has soared from

pared with a turnover in the cash bond market of 12.8 billion francs. Using another measure, 1.8 million contracts changed hands in Sep-tember compared with 1.6 million for the 10 months that the Matif was open in 1986. The market's spectacular success initially came from bedging needs

created by the explosive growth of unit trusts and motual funds, which grew from 77 billion francs in 1980 to 1 crillion francs in 1986. Other factors encouraging its growth were the downward drift of interest rates within the first several months and the buoyant bond market. Much less spectacular has been the performance of the 90-day

Treasury bill futures contract, list-ed in June last year.

It was effectively throttled at birth by the absence of a cash market, although it could soon receive more attention as nervous investors turn from long-term to short-term instruments.

An option on the notional bond will eventually be the third contract introduced on the official market, even though it has been postponed several times.

Mr. Balley said it will not be launched until January at the earli-est because the Matif clearing house's computer system is at satu-On Monday, for example, \$3,000 ration point.

# NASDAQ: Failure to Handle Deluge Hurts Its Image

Communications Inc., whose class A stock is traded on NASDAQ, said, "We're happy with it. The NASDAQ, in our case at least, gives us everything we can ask for: iquidity, volume and visibility." Michael D. Dingman, chairman

of Henley Group, an engineering and financial services conglomerate, said he believed that the market makers had more trouble than the specialist traders who have the responsibility for maintaining orderly markets on the New York and American exchanges.

"Any market at this kind of time is at best imperfect," he said. But under ordinary circummarket, he said, "you get more li-quidity potential, more capital

committed to it, and by virtue of all these different market makers and the vastness of that market, it's a more realistic market" than the New York and American ex-

William C. McGowan, chairman of MCI Communications Inc., which is also traded over the

change made it easier for companies to move elsewhere.

but a company wanting to leave has to secure the approval of its share-"Right now, it looks like the

NYSE is pretty good because you can't leave it," he said. The perception of widespread

market may have already taken a toll on the prices of NASDAQ

While the Dow Jones industrial stances in the over-the-counter average has slumped 25.3 percent market, he said "you get more lissince Sept. 30, and the New York Stock Exchange composite index has dropped by 24.4 percent, the NASDAQ composite index has fallen by 30.9 percent. In the past 10 days alone, there have been three days when the "market." as defined by the Dow, has rallied, but the NASDAQ index has been

left behind. Some over-the-counter market

(Continued from first finance page) counter, said the various markets' makers say that their market naturally lags behind the larger bluefairly if the New York Stock Ex- chip stocks represented in the 30 Dow stocks. But others think that ies to move elsewhere. the market might be punishing A company wishing to join the over-the-counter issues because of Big Board needs board approval, perceived liquidity problems.

In the specialist system used by the New York Stock Exchange and the American Stock Exchange, one designated "specialist" firm is charged with making an orderly market in a particular stock. Toward that end, the specialist must troubles in the over-the-counter be the buyer or seller of last resort.

In the NASDAQ system, firms compete to make markets in stocks, but none has the obligation to buy or sell the particular stock at all times. While the NASDAQ electronic system provides virtually instantaneous stock quotes, most orders must be placed over the phone. There is no trading floor comparable to those of the New York and American exchanges,

As is now clear, investors in NASDAQ stocks can have trouble finding someone to execute their orders during a panic.

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#### URRENCY MARKETS

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upiled by Our Staff From Dispatches EW YORK — The dollar kened slightly Friday in New k as beaush traders looked in for evidence that monetary cials wanted to halt its slide. hthough the dollar had firmed ter in Europe, it fell more than a her in Europe, it fell more than a nmg in New York to 1.7290 vische marks, from 1.7395 on insday. That took its losses for week to nearly 5 premnings.
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ry said Christiane Mandell, president and financial maradviser to Barclays Bank in w York. The market apparentloesn't mind being short and is princed of further dollar de-

ofter ending slightly higher in two and Europe, the dollar sed at 138.40 Japanese yen in York, down slightly from 175 on Thursday. Total losses week amounted to more

n 3 yen. the dollar also closed in New is at 5.8625 French francs, in from 5.8675 on Thursday, at 1.4300 Swiss francs, down

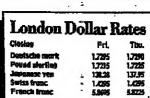
The British pound also rose unst the dollar, closing at 1220, against \$1.7125 on Thurs-

Tinance Minister Kiichi yazawa of Japan said that the lar-yen exchange rate was mov-loward stability through coorated intervention by major

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portive comments on the dollar from several monetary officials, nobody is being explicit that the dollar is too low.

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She said there was a feeling in the market that the Group of Seven industrialized nations would have no choice but to reconvene to determine if the Louvre accord on against \$1.7225 Thursday. exchange rate stability, reached in February, was meeting its objec-

The Group of Seven consists of the United States, West Germany, Japan, France, Great Britain, Italy from 5.8470. In Zurich, the dollar

In another development Friday, it was confirmed that the Bundes-closed at 1.4270 Swiss francs, down bank president, Karl Otto Pöhl, from 1.4293. (UPI, AP, Reuters)

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was easing its monetary policy, there could be some scope for

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The franc and other weak EMS

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in New York. A spokeswoman for the West German central bank's New York office would not discuss Mr. Pöhl's, agenda but said a trip to Washington was a "possibility."

In London, the dollar closed at .7295 DM, up slightly from 1.7290 DM at Thursday's close.

The dollar also closed at 138.28, up from 137.95 on Thursday, at 1.4295 Swiss francs, unchanged from Thursday, and at 5.8695 French francs, up from 5.8225. The dollar was higher against the pound, which closed at \$1.7215,

For most of Friday's European session, the dollar traded in a nar-Earlier in Europe, the dollar was fixed in Frankfurt at 1.7393 DM, up from 1.7360 on Thursday, and in Paris at-5.9000 French francs, up

#### Warburg Urges Sale of T-Bonds

LONDON - S.G. Warburg Securities Ltd. said Friday that it was urging its customers to sell U.S. Treasury bonds, now at their best levels in months, because the dollar is likely to weaken further.

Warburg's weekly interna-tional bond report said yields on long-term U.S. Treasury bonds, now at about 9.03 per cent, are likely to rise to 9.50 percent as the dollar falls another 10 to 15 percent.

The firm's economists forecast a drop in the dollar to 1.68 to 1.70 Denische marks in the next three months and to around 1.60 DM within 12 months. A decline seems likely, Warburg said, in view of the stock market collapse and the large U.S. trade deficit.

# Fed Said to Make Good BP: Issue Proceeds but Losses Loom On Pledge of Liquidity

NEW YORK - The Federal sued a statement affirming its Reserve is making good on its readiness to serve as a source of promise to provide the U.S. banking system with adequate liquidity and financial system." while it weathers the storm of last week's historic drop in stock prices,

according to economists. Both the pattern and size of open market operations since the U.S. as a much-needed palliative for instock market's fall on Oct. 19 illusvestor confidence. trate the Fed's resolve to ease pressures on bank reserves, they said.

"They were trying to back up their statement on providing li-quidity and drive the funds rate down to a level they think is right," said Anthony Karydakis of Mitsubishi Bank Ltd.

The Fed can directly influence the federal funds rate, the rate on overnight loans of reserves among U.S. banks, by selling or buying government securities in the open market

On Oct. 20, the day after Wall Street stocks lost 22.6 percent of

With the U.S. bond market troubled that morning by the after-

shock of the plunge in stocks the day before, the statement was seen

The Fed had already been adding to banks' reserves steadily via system repurchase agreements since Oct. 15, the day after news of a larger-than-expected U.S. trade deficit in August.

Repurchase agreements are basically loan arrangements by which a holder sells a security at a specified price with a commitment to repurchase at a later date. In the week ended Wednesday,

the first week of the two-week maintenance period, the Fed's repurchases averaged nearly \$12.1 billion a day, Mr. Karydakis said, "a huge amount by all standards."
"They only needed to do \$6 billion to \$6.5 billion on average," he said. "It shows they were making good on their promise to provide EMS: 8-Nation Currency Bloc Appears to Weather Strains of Falling Dollar

ample liquidity." William Sullivan of Dean Witter Reynolds & Co. said, "It clearly indicates the aggressiveness of the Fed in providing liquidity to the banking system." Economists also noted the low

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British and foreign investment banks that had formally agreed to guarantee the issue for a fee were forced to take up the slack at a potentially huge paper loss if they sell at current prices.

The 17 chief British underwriters had spread their respective risk by further underwriting the issue among about 400 institutional investors. But four American, three Canadian and five Japanese guar-antors were left holding their BP portfolios. Analysts had feared earlier this

week that BP shares and markets in general would be depressed by a wholesale unloading of BP shares by underwriters seeking to cut their losses. But those fears appear to have been assuaged by the Bank of England's intervention.

"The BP issue will be attractive

now that the downside risk has been removed," said John Toalster, oil analyst with the London brokers, Hoare Govett.

"It's the only stock on the mar-ket that has an official floor on it," he said, "Barring a further retreat of the market as a whole, I can't see the share price falling back" to the government-imposed floor price. The central bank's buyback offer, which is valid for at least one month but no more than two, guar-

antees a floor price of 70 pence for each of the new partly-paid BP shares, for which the underwriters and private investors paid 120

The 70 pence offer reflects - on a part-paid basis — the fully-paid closing price of BP shares Thursday, at 259 pence.

The original offer, detailed on Oct. 15, was for payment of the 330 pence price in three stages, the first at 120 pence, followed by two of

105 pence by 1989.
Buoyed by the Bank of England's price floor, existing BP shares were up 8 pence Friday to 267 pence at the close of the Lon-

don Stock Exchange. In light of the Bank of England's guarantee, bankers here estimate the maximum combined paper loss to underwriters would be £1.05 billion if they decide to liquidate their portfolios at the 70 pence buyback

Prior to Thursday's buyback annonncement, estimates were for a collective pretax paper loss of be-tween \$500 and \$600 million for the U.S. underwriters, which include Goldman Sachs & Co., Morgan Stanley & Co., Salomon Inc. and Shearson Lehman Brothers

The four firms subscribed to a combined 480 million BP shares. A representative of one of the underwriters said Friday: "We're going to try to get the best long-term holders of these BP shares as possible, we're not simply going to dump them in the market. We'll be watching market conditions closely and plan to sell these BP shares at various prices every day over the next couple of weeks."

The BP sale involved the flotation of the government's remaining 31.5 percent stake in the British energy conglomerate, or some 1.73 billion existing shares, plus 459 million new BP shares issued by the company to the government as a capital-raising measure for corporate expansion.

From the British Treasury's point of view, what matters most is that it will receive its anticipated £5.7 billion in revenue from the

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coordinated international moves to cut the U.S. budget deficit and ease interest rates in West Germany, Japan and, perhaps, Britain.

The dollar could hold within a range of 1.70 DM to 1.80 DM for at least a week or so, Mr. Jones pre-dicted. That, he said, was the new currencies would also gain a de facto rate for the dollar against breathing space if the dollar were the mark, compared with the 1.80 the mark, compared with the 1.80 DM to 1.90 DM that the market Jones said he thought the dollar believes was the range endorsed could hold its ground in the coming under February's seven-nation their could hold its ground in the coming under February's seven-nation their could be and economic policy cooperation.

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An agreement approved by European Community ministers in Denmark in September makes it easier for other EMS countries to believes was the range endorsed summon West German support for under February's seven-nation their currencies before they reach Louvre accord on exchange rate the bottom of their permitted

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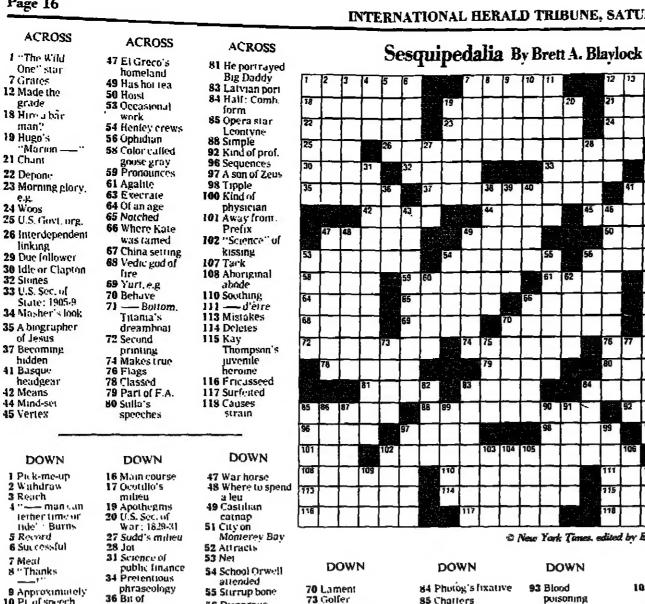
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Reviewed by Christopher Lehmann-Haupt

DENNIS THE MENACE

WHATEVER happened to the 1960s? Or, to cite a telling vignette in Jonathan Schell's "History in Sherman Park": How could it be that one of the people he interviewed — who in 1968 had voted for enator Eugene McCarthy, who in 1972 had voted for Senator George McGovern, who in 1976 had voted for Peter Camejo of the the Socialist Workers Party, who in 1980 had voted for Barry Commoner of the Citizens Party - decided in 1984 to vote for Ronald Reagan?

#### **BOOKS**

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Both the Schell book and Hans Koning's "Nineteen Sixty-Eight" explore in their respective ways the extraordinary transformation we appear to have undergone in the last two decades. Schell — a former reporter for The New Yorker whose bestknown previous book is his meditation on nuclear catastrophe, "The Fate of the Earth" - does so by getting to know a particular American family during the 1984 presidential campaign between Reagan and his Democratic challenger, Walter Mondale.

Hans Koning, who has also contributed to The New Yorker and written many books, measures the distance we have traveled since the 1960s by celebrating the year 1968 for the "clarity of perception" it brought, "It was as if a curtain had been raised, a veil lifted. The clickes, platitudes, and myths of our public life, what may politely be called our Fourth of July rhetoric, were suddenly seen as such, and not just by a handful of lefties in small magazines, but by the people at large, many of them."

Of the two, Schell's report is the more thoughtfui and thought-provoking. Combining his probing yet informal interviews and his reflections on recent U.S. history, he wends his way to a theory of why the present times seem so out of whack. The only problem with his unorthodox approach is that it

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#### lacks dramatic inevitability. The people he gets to know remain somewhat indistinct as characters.

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For instance, it is often Schell who raises the question with his subjects of nuclear Armageddon in our lives, which is predictable enough considering his deep concern with the issue. In response, his subjects shrug and say, in so many words, yes, that's a problem all right, but what are you going to do? The result is that Schell's concluding emphasis on the importance of nuclear war in the contemporary psyche has about it a certain gratuitous quality.

Compared with Koning, however, he is a saint of objectivity. In Koning's vision, there isn't much room for what lies beyond his beliefs. "Looking back now from the winter 1986-87, I see that throughout those wild and calm times, the year 1968 was the most meaningful to me, and still remains so. Meaningful in a political way, that is. But politics and personal emotions have always been inter-

Although he quickly adds that for him emotions don't "take the place of thinking," he neither explains his personal feelings nor bothers to define a system of values against which to measure the benefits and drawbacks of that tumultuous year.

Schell comes a little closer to explaining the sense of confusion both he and Koning believe many people are suffering from these days. Dismissing the 1900s as an aberrant time when prosperity made us forget certain abiding economic realities, he worries less about the decline of revolutionary activism and more about what the bomb is quietly doing to us.

"If there is active complicity by the average citizen in the nuclear peril, it may lie in this: We are ready to pay for our comfort and safety by accepting the threat of our annihilation, and of the possi-ble annihilation of mankind. The point in the pre-sent context, however, is that the shape of the peril fits into a broader pattern than our political life

Reality "looks at us from behind the glass wall of the television screen, leaving us free, if we so wish, not to think about it at all — at least until such time as it bursts through the screen and vaporizes us where we sit." As an explanation of our present reality, this, too, contains its subjective element. But who can deny a plausibility to Schell's vision? Be-cause who can finally deny that the bomb is real?

Christopher Lehmann-Haupt is on the staff of The New York Times.

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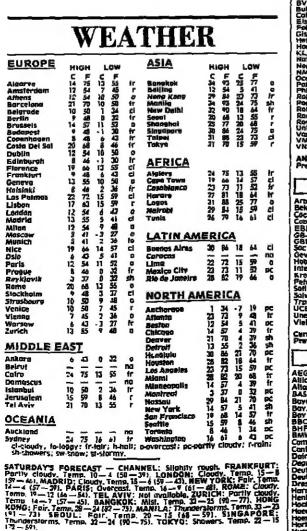


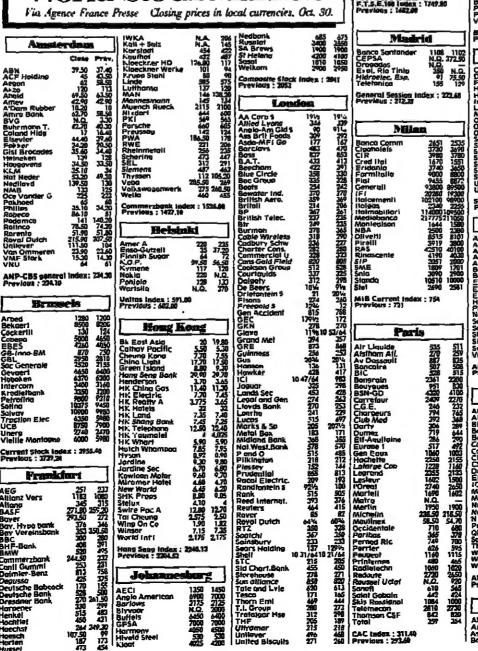


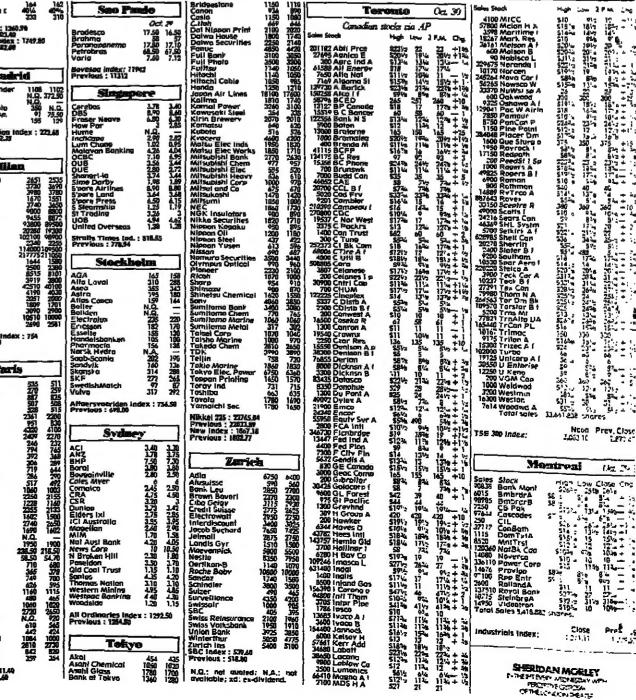


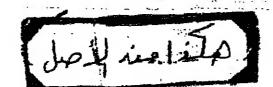
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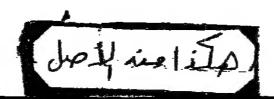
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#### **SPORTS**

# The Snows of Monaco? Hardly, but Prince Albert May Be Headed for the Olympics on a Bobsled

ports in this tiny principality usually ange from swimming in the Mediterraopes set on piloting a two-man bobsled t the Winter Olympics in Calgary.

he world as Prince Albert, has been took a guest ride. raining up to four hours a day since darch—sprinting, lifting weights and sushing a bobsled on wheels along an analysis of the liked it, he added. It thought it being in the Olympics some day. Other blue bloods have competed in the Olympics, including Princess Anne outdoor track

The prince was introduced to bobsled-

United Press International learning proper techniques at summer sledding as a hobby until last winter, FONTVIEILE, Monaco — Winter camps and winter tournaments.

ean to rolling dice at a casino but a warmth where the only thing that glitters inside me lives by challenges. Something deep inside me lives by challenges, said the is jewelry. done in Monaco, a winter haven of

"I came to bobsledding quite by acci-

Albert, an avid swimmer, runner and fing during a 1985 ski trip in Switzer-soccer player who also has sailed, fenced and has spent the past three years and thrown the javelin, practiced bob-

umps and winter tournaments. when one of his two Swiss coaches sug-Most of his fitness training has been gested he try competing internationally.

the Winter Olympics in Calgary.

Grimaldi, better known to the rest of was on a skiing holiday in St. Moritz and making it big," he said. "Certainly, when took a guest ride.

I guess every stimulat mas in the being good at a sport and making it big," he said. "Certainly, when took a guest ride.

I started bobsledding I didn't think of

the Olympics, including Princess Anne of Britain, who rode in the three-day event competition at the 1976 Summer Olympics in Montreal.

The prince would not even be the first



member of his family to be an Olympian — his uncle, the late John Kelly Jr. of Philadelphia, participated in the Games as a rower.

But Albert, who is 6 feet tall (1.81 meters) and weighs 172 pounds (78 kilograms), apparently would be the first royal athlete in the Winter Olympics.

A typical week's workout for Albert and the two Monegasque athletes who are vying to be brakeman on the sled includes four sessions of weight training as well as sprinting, calisthenics and work on bobsledding techniques.

The two competitors are Gilbert Bessi, sprinter who has run 10.8 seconds in the 100-meter dash and David Tomatis, Massachusetts.

"When he's on the bobsled he's not Prince Albert, he's Albert Grimaldi," Baggioni said. "It's different because he's a prince, but we have to forget that

The trainer discounted the risk of seri-

ous injury to the man who is heir apparent to Prince Rainier in Monaco. The prince and his brakeman will train near Innsbruck, Austria, in early November and then compete in their it.

Jean Baggioni, the team's French first World Cup bobsledding race on trainer, said the prince uses his athletic Nov. 14 in Winterburg, West Germany. background to overcome his lack of bob—They will train in Calgary, Alberta, site sledding experience. Albert was involved—of the Winter Olympics, from Nov. 23 to in soccer, swimming, track and tennis early December and then compete in while attending Amherst College in more World Cup events before deciding whether to attend the Olympics.

Since Monaco is a member of the International Bobsled Federation if automatically is allowed an Olympic entry and the prince's team is the only one in Monaco.

"It's going to be up to us. If we don't feel right or feel we're going to be a total disaster at the Olympics, we won't go." Albert said, "But we're going to make

## Resurgent Bills, Colts Tighten Up AFC East

By Gerald Eskenazi New York Times Service

NEW YORK - Last year it was the most lopsided division in the American Conference: two playoff teams at the top, two teams with a total of seven victories at the bottom. But who's in first in the Eastern

Division now? Almost everybody.

Four of the five teams in this National Football League division are tied at 3-3: Buffalo, Indianapolis, New England and the Jets. Miami, at 2-4, is within whispering distance in the five-team division.

The reason for this bunching up, the sudden emergence of the Bills and the Colts, has more to do with finishing last in other years than in

#### NFL PREVIEW

doing well during this year's strike games. All those first-round draft

picks are finally paying off.

The Colts have not been a contending team since 1979, the Bills not since 1981. In each of the last three seasons they finished as the bottom two teams in the division.

Those poor finishes guaranteed high first-round picks.
The Bills' quarterback, Jim Kelly (a 1983 first-rounder who opted for the United States Football League before signing last season), faces the Redskins at Orchard Park, New York, on Sunday in a battle of division leaders. The Bills are also buoyed by other recent first-rounders. From this year there is Shane Conlan at linebacker; from last year there are Ronnie Harmon, running back, and Will Wolford, a tackle. The 1985 first-rounders are Bruce Smith, a defensive end,

and Derrick Burroughs, a defensive back.
The Colts face the New York Jets on Sunday, and even though they still haven't signed Cornelius Bennett, this year's first-round choice, they come in armed with four recent top draft picks among their linebackers and defensive line. The linebackers are Johnie Cooks (1982) and Duane Bickett (1985); Jon Hand (1986) and Donnell Thompson (1981) shore up the line. In addition, Barry Krauss, the left outside linebacker, was the No. 1 pick in 1979.

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polis (3-3) at New York Jets (3-3): The Colts boast a 6-3 record since Ron Meyer took over as coach with three games to play last year. Their linebackers are very active and love to blitz. The Jets' Ken O'Brien is coming off a loss to the Redskins in which he was sacked seven times. But he should be helped by the return of Joe Fields at right guard. That could also help Freeman McNeil's running game, which was not productive. The Colts are playing error-free football.

Cleveland (4-2) at San Diego (5-1): The Chargers will see whether they belong in first place — their 5-1 record is pumped up with a 3-0 strike mark. They have been tearing past offenses with a conference-leading 27 sacks. Now they have a defensive leader in Chip Banks, who is coupled with Billy Ray Smith at linebacker. The Browns' running game is weak, but the defense is willing. The top-rated pass defense of the Browns has held opponents to a 42.3 percent comple-

Houston (4-2) at Cincinnati (2-4): Mike Rozier (Remember him? The Heisman winner once upon a time?) has rushed for 294 yards the lest two games against the regulars. He is part of an improved Offers outfit that has more sacks than it has allowed and holds the opposition to only 26.3 percent success on third down. But Boomer Esiason was able to complete more than 50 percent of his passes against Houston last season, the only one to do it twice. The Bengals boast the

league's top rushing offense, and top defense against the rush.

Pittsburgh (4-2) at Miami (2-4): The Steelers' much-improved secondary has two rookies starting — Delton Hall at cornerback and Thomas Everett at free safety. Now that Rod Woodson, the No. 1 pick, has signed, he will crack the lineup next week. An old-fashioned Steeler running attack is led by Earnest Jackson, who already has three 100-yard games. But the Steelers win only Super Bowls in Miami, losing all five regular season games there. Don Shula is looking for his 250th career victory after three straight losses. He will have help with the return of John Offerdahl, his key linebacker and

Los Angeles Raiders (3-3) at New England (3-3): Raymond Berry will call the plays instead of Steve Grogan, the veteran quarterback who had been telling Tony Eason what to do. Berry could be more conservative than Grogan. With Craig James out for the season, the Pats' running game is suffering. The Raiders' outstanding pass rush and smothering defensive backfield could be even more effective as a

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New Orleans (3-3) at Atlanta (2-4): If statistics mean anything, this is a walkover for the Saints. They are the top team in possession time since their Rueben Mayes is able to grind it out. The Falcons, meanwhile, are last in the league in stopping the run. The Falcons have started a different quarterback in each of the last seven games Scott Campbell breaks the streak when he starts his second straight. Philadelphia (2-4) at St. Louis (2-4): The Eagles sacked the Cowboys five times; the Giants sacked the Cardinals five times. Pressure is

the key to the Eagles' defense. The last two games the regulars played they created eight turnovers. The Cards' Neil Lomax will be looking for J.T. Smith, the league's leading receiver with 29 catches. The Eagles' left cornerback. Roynell Young, will be pestering Smith. San Francisco (5-1) at Los Angeles Rams (1-5): The 49ers may be on top, but Coach Bill Walsh is unhappy with his running game. So Roger Craig is switching to running back from fullback while Tom Rathman goes to fullback. But they will be moving behind a revamped offensive line in which three backups are starting. Eric

Dickerson has been placed on the inactive list, complicating things for the Rams' offense. Tampa Bay (3-3) at Green Bay (3-2-1): The Bucs know they're not good enough to beat the Bears (losing twice this season) but they think they're good enough against everybody else. They'll find out as they want a stretch of five of six games on the road. From last in defense a year ago, the Bucs are fifth. Don Majkowski, who is the Packers' first

rookie quarterback to produce a 300-yard game, is still behind because of the strike. INTERCONFERENCE

Detroit (1-5) at Denver (3-2-1): The Broncos are 29-6 at home in the last 35 games under Coach Dan Reeves. But Reeves is complaining that his complicated offensive and defensive schemes have been disrupted by the strike, And now his top runner, Gerald Wilhite, is Brue for the year with a broken leg. His defense, though, will probably bother Chuck Long, making the fifth start of his career. This could be the game Karl Mecklenburg and Rulon Jones, who average 22 sacks a

leason between them, get on the board this year. Ransas City (1-5) at Chicago (5-1): The worst offense faces the sears, who have, as usual, the best defense in yards allowed. Jim McMahon, who came on late to bring the Bears from behind against the Bucs, will start. The Bears have won 23 straight when he does. Minnesota (3-3) at Seattle (4-2): The Vikings didn't have any dissension during the strike, but they didn't get any victories either. Their regulars are 3-0 and think they can rattle Dave Krieg, apparently the key to halting the Seahawks. But Curt Warner is among the Bame's top runners and Steve Largent leads the conference with 26

Washington (5-1) at Buffalo (3-3): The Bills' regulars have scored almost 100 points in three games — and yielded virtually as many. The big passing game of Kelly to Chris Burkett will have to offset the Redskins' attack on the Bills' suspect defense.

MONDAY NIGHT New York Giants (1-5) at Dallas (3-3): The Cowboys have taken four of the last five games in this always-spirited rivalry. But a bounce here, a tip there — who knows? The Giants may not have Joe Morris. who is not practicing because of a bruised knee, but the Cowboys may have lost that loving feeling for one another as a result of the strike's harsh words. Now, Tony Dorsett and Herschel Walker are complaining they're not running enough.

#### **Baseball Chief** Says 'Never' to Instant Replay

The Associated Press PORTLAND, Oregon — Um-piring mistakes in the final game of baseball's World Series haven't softened Commissioner Peter Ueberroth's vehement opposition to the use of television instant replays to help on close calls.

"There will be no use of instant replays as long as I'm commission-er." Ueberroth said at a news conference Thursday.

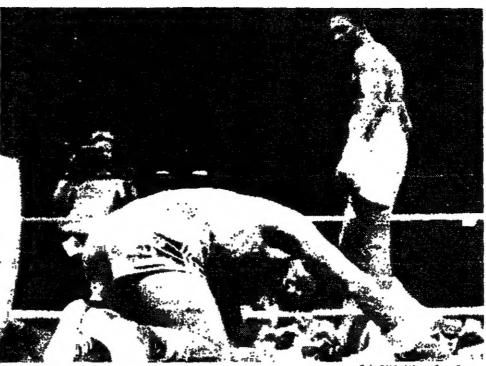
"Umpires miss calls. I think that's part of the tradition of basehe said. "I think in the recent World Series they had, as close as I could see, six perfect games, then they missed a couple of calls in the

"I don't want to second-guess them. I don't want the game to become more plastic, so I'm not going to turn it over to the cameras for anything at all."

Ueberroth said umpiring mistakes "haven't hurt us in the past dramatically, so I'm not going to change tradition." Because of the speed a baseball travels, a player may seem out or safe, depending on the camera angle, he said.



# Hearns Knocks Out Roldan and Wins His 4th Title



Juan Roldan trying to get up after Thomas Hearns knocked him down in the first round.

New York Times Service LAS VEGAS - Under cloudy desert skies. Thomas Hearns became the first man in boxing history to win four world titles in separate weight categories. Hearns knocked out Juan Roldan on Thursday night in 2:01 of

the fourth round of a scheduled 12round bout for the vacant World Boxing Council middleweight title. At a news conference afterward. Hearns quickly turned his thoughts toward rematches with Sugar Ray Leonard and Marvin Hagler, the only men who have besten him. Hearns has beaten neither.

There are two young men I have to see before I leave the boxing game," said the 29-year-old Hearns. "I don't have to say their

Thursday's fight was a brawl, Roldan kept charging forward, swinging roundhouse blows. Often Roldan's punches came at unconventional angles, and at times the crude but rugged Argentine punched off the wrong foot.

The net effect of the relentless

assault by Roldan was to force Hearns out of his game plan, which was to light with slick moves. "I tried to jab and move side to side," Hearns said. "But each time I tried to move, the more I did that,

the closer he got to me. Roldan made Hearns rumble, and Hearns obliged him. He

knocked Roldan down four times during the brief battle - twice in the first round, once in the second and a final time in the fourth. "I had to level off good shots," Hearns said, "and get respect."

As the 30-year-old Roldan charged forward in the first round. Hearns wobbled him with a wicked right hand and, as Roldan crum-pled, the fighter called The Hit Man fetched him a second right.

and Mills Lane, the referee, began his count. Roldan was up at 6 and took the mandatory 8 count. The knockdown did not discour-

age Roldan. He wildly pursued Hearns, who used his defensive wiss. He applied a glove to Roldan's head, pushing it toward the canvas so Roldan could not punch. He slipped under Roldan and raised him bodily off the canvas. He clinched when necessary.

Then he knocked Roldan down a second time with a three-punch combination that finished with a right. Roldan got to his feet at 6. Hearns decked Roldan early into

the second round with a left book. again as Roldan was bearing in. Roldan rose by the count of 3. "After the third round, Emanuel Steward said, 'You got to go get this man.' " Hearns said, referring

to his manager and trainer. "I looked at him, like: "You don't know just how hard I'm trying." Then I told him: 'Emanuel, we're going, baby, We're going,"

Hearns hit Roldan on the chin
with his big right, and this time

Roldan staggered sideways. When Hearns hit him with another right. he fell face first to the canvas. When Lane's count reached 9, Roldan rolled over onto his back and was counted out.

Hearns grinned, stamped his foot and threw his arms upward.
"From welterweight to light heavyweight - it's something I can be very proud of," said Hearns, referring to the four titles he now

has won He beat Pipino Cuevas for the World Boxing Association welterweight title in August 1980, defeated Wilfred Benitez for the WBC super welterweight title in December 1982 and in March of this year took Dennis Andries for the WBC light heavyweight title.

## Moroccan 'Mystery Man' Ready for N.Y. Marathon



Nechadi el-Mostafa

New York Times Service NEW YORK - When he came to New York to run in the marathon last year, Nechadi el-Mostafa of

Morocco paid his own expenses. That alone said a great deal about his chances. Fred Lebow, the race director, picks up the tab for the very best runners. And yet, halfway through the race, there was Mostafa, among the leaders, setting a pace that would have threatened the New York record of 2 hours 8 minutes 13 seconds established by Alberto

Mostafa, whose first half was run in 1:04, eventually faded to finish 66th in 2:34:37, but his performance

He is among the favorites this year, the "mystery man," as the marathon officials like to call him. In only one year, he has developed into an elite runner. He is among the favorites in the race Sunday, in which 22,000 entrants are expected to start out from the Verrazano Narrows Bridge connecting Staten Is-

And, yes, Lebow is paying Mostafa's expenses this "I'm not surprised that I improved so much," the 25-year-old Mostafa said through an interpreter on Thursday. "I had not prepared properly for running before. That's why I went out so quickly here last

Sitting in the temporary stands being built at the finish line in Central Park, Mostafa was surrounded by reporters, no longer a mystery man. He grew up, he said, in Khouribga, a mining town 80 miles (130 kilometers) east of Casablanca. He ran cross-country

in high school and wanted to pursue road racing as a

"I was not a serious student," he said. "I wanted to be a runner and would not study when there were races coming up. That ruled out the university."

Mostafa was impressed by the success of Italian distance runners and the modern training facility in

Brescia, Italy. He moved to Italy in August 1986 and sold rugs, saving money to come to New York. The investment, he said, was well worth it.

Only a month after returning to Italy after his impressive performance, he was invited to compete in a marathon in Sicily. He finished second, lowering his ime to 2:20. He was a star on the rise.

Ellesse, the Italian sports wear company, put Mos-tafa in touch with a coach, Dr. Gabriel Rosa. The also developed a friendship with Gianni Poli. the winner of last year's New York City Marathon, and the two trained together.

Then, last May. Mostafa finished second in the London Marathon in 2:10:09, the second-fastest mar-Such rapid progress, however, had drawbacks. Mos-

tafa found that fast times meant increased expectations. Last August, he dropped out of the marathon during the world championships in Rome, after about

"I was nervous," he said. "I couldn't eat or sleep well in the weeks before the race," He is more at ease in New York, he said, although unwilling to predict how well he might do. He will run with Poli, who has said that Mostafa has a good

"I am in very good shape," Mostafa said, "but I don't want to put pressure on myself. I know why Gianni said that; he doesn't want to be the favorite.

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PITTSBURGH—Named Hall McRoe minor league operations.
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THURSDAY'S RESULTS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) - Tom Watson one-putted 11 times on the way to a 5-under-par 65 and the first-round lead in golf's richest tournament, the \$3 million Championships of Golf.

"It'd be a nice tournament to win for my first in three years," said

Watson Leads \$3 Million Golf Event

**SPORTS BRIEFS** 

Watson, a five-time British Open champion and six-time Player of the Year, but a nonwinner since July 1984. Larry Mize, the Masters champion, who birdied the last two holes on Thursday, and David Frost of South Africa shot 66, four under par on the 5,556-yard (6,012-meter) Oak Hills Country Club course.

#### Anderson Named AL Manager of Year

NEW YORK (AP) — Sparky Anderson, who led the Detroit Tigers to the American League East title, has been named AL manager of the year by the Baseball Writers' Association of America.

Anderson received 11 first-place

votes and a total of 90 points in balloting by a panel of two writers' association members from each AL city. He had also been named manager of the year in 1984, when the ligers won the World Series. Tom Trebelhorn of the Milwaukee Brewers was second with 78 points and seven first-place votes. Balloting was done on the basis

of regular-season performance only. The Tigers lost the AL play-offs to the Minnesota Twins.



Sparky Anderson

#### Mansell Injured in Qualifying in Japan

TOKYO (UPI) - Nigel Mansell, second in the world championship standings, crashed through a tire barrier Friday and injured his right leg and back in qualifying for Formula One racing's Japanese Grand Prix.

The Briton was taken by helicopter from the track in Suzuka to a hospital. Tests showed he broke no bones but his back was badly bruised. The Williams team said it would decide by Saturday if Mansell could race Sunday. He is the only driver who can challenge Nelson Piquet of Brazil, who leads the title chase by 12 points. If Mansell can't race Sunday, Piquet will clinch his third world championship.

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> par 64, tying the course record, as the nine-man Japanese team evened the team scores Friday in the \$464,000 Japan-U.S. golf matches. (AP) (AP)

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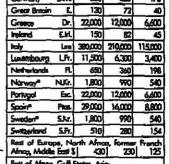
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# Home Sweet Scary Home

By Patricia Leigh Brown

EW YORK — To Gene
Noise 2 writer of horror stories, there is something inherently fearsome about houses. You can never be sure you're alone, he mused recently. The fact that you can't see the entire house at one time is unnerving. There is always the possibility of opening the closet and finding clothes swaying myste-riously, or sneaking into the kitchen for a midnight snack to encoun-ter a monster in the mixing bowl.

In the last week of October, when the breath turns ghostly and trees are clenched in the wind's teeth, thoughts turn, not to tasteful interiors, but to the sinister aspects of houses.

The spectral house is as old as the fairy tale. Its contemporary in-terpretations have sprung from the mysterious castle of the 18th-century Gothic novel, and from Edgar Alian Poe's House of Usher, where an air of stern, deep and irredeemable gloom hung over and pervad-

"The image of the haunted house has been with us since before the dawn of time," said the film director Roger Corman, best known for his 1960s films based on Poe's stories and starring Vincent Price. "In the future, a structure on a distant planet will probably be haunted."

The haunted house is big business today, stalking the world of teen-age culture and VCRs in movies like "Poltergeist" and "Ghostbusters.

"We've progressed from the cas-tle," said John Carpenter, who di-rected "The Thing," "Hallowern" and "Christine," among other hor-ror films. "We've modernized the

Today's scary house is not necessarily situated at the foot of a deadend street. In "Poltergeist," a film produced by Steven Spielberg and directed by Tobe Hooper, the scene is a suburban California subdivision and a split-level house complete with apple-cheeked children and golden retriever. Life is happy until the strange occurrences begin - green electrically charged waifs and as historical societies pay trib-

emanating from the television. The haunted-house story has also graduated to include haunted cars, office buildings. 24-hour may go bump in the night and chain stores, truck stops, bars, sub-urbs and shopping malls. where the ghoulies and ghosties and long-leggety beasties dwell.

provides the central theme. "Our homes are the places where we allow ourselves the ultimate vulnerability." Stephen King wrote in "Danse Macabre." his analysis of the horror genre.

"These stories are about the unknown invading the central area of life." said Dean R. Kooniz, a writer of horror stories. "Home is that sacred place where we reject the idea of death and loneliness." idea of death and loneliness."

Where early writers used turrets, dungeons, creaking stairs, rusty hinges, snuffed-out candles and a profusion of cobwebs as a litany of fear, today's masters, when not using graphic violence, create fear and gloom, like Alfred Hitchcock. by exploiting the horror of the ordi-

"A house can be made fearful." Carpenter said, "by asking what does it look like, what does it sound like, is it dark in daytime? How are the shadows playing across the walls? What are the distant sounds? If you stand completely still in your own house and turn the lights off, you might be able to scare your-

AN the well-appointed haunted house of today, technology often stands in for architectural details. In Koontz's 1973 book. "Demon Seed," for example, the home computer becomes what the drawbridge and the trapdoor were to the Gothic novel. The victim is trapped in her house by the evil computer, which seals the steel security shutters on the windows, locks the doors, shuts down the phone lines and eventually impregnates her.

To John Stilgoe, a professor of landscape architecture at the Harvard Graduate School of Design who has studied the historical phenomenon of the haunted house, the fascination with such houses with horror in general - is partly "a reaction against the certainties of science and technology." He added, "We want to believe in things that stump the experts."

Sull, nowhere, not even a spanking-new condominium, is safe. So as the sun sinks on Halloween ute to their local haunted houses, bear in mind that home is not only where the heart is, but where things

# The Winds of Change at Brasserie Lipp

By Barry James urranoual Herald Tribune

P ARIS — in what is almost the equiva-lent of adding another couple of hum dred feet to the Eiffel Tower, the new management of Brasserie Lipp has decreed that the establishment on Boulevard Saint-Germain will henceforth remain open on Mondays and close for only four weeks a year instead of nine.

For a place where a new dish is admitted to the menu as rarely as a new article in the constitution, such a change is momentous stuff, and some of the regulars — who include politicians, ministers, writers and Le Tout Paris - are fearful that it portends a new mood of commercialism at Lipp.

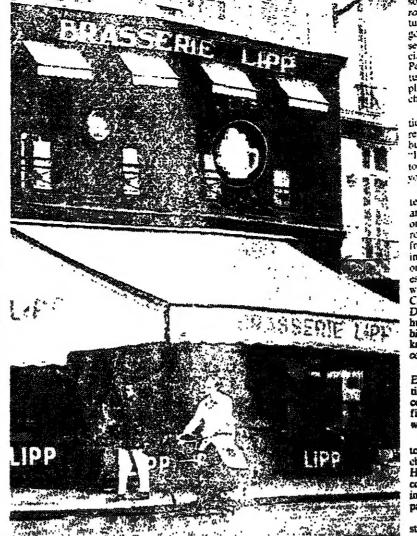
"There's a certain anxiety in the air." said Jean Diwo, author of a book that chronicled the restaurant's more-than-100year history.

For much of this century, Lipp has performed the role of a kind of gastronomic Switzerland, a neutral ground geographi-cally midway between the National Assem-bly and the Senate where politicians can agree to disagree over a heaping plate of good sauerkraut and a foaming serieux of beer. Cabinets are said to have been formed in the mirrored dining room and political squabbles healed there. The last four presidents of France, including the incumbent, François Mitterrand, have all been clients at one time or another.

Lipp is as much club as restaurant, not only for the politicians but also for publishers and writers, theater people, film stars, and television or media personalities. It was run in autocratic fashion by Roger Cazes, its owner until his death last April. when a distant relative by marriage, Annie Perrochon, became president and director

Perrochon, 43. had no previous experience of running a restaurant, and says she has no intention of making fundamental changes. "Let's just say I'm thinking about some adaptations and improvements," she said during an interview in her cramped office, barely big enough to contain a desk and chair. The menu, including the saveloy sausage in mustard sauce that Ernest Hemingway considered his favorite dish, remains sacrosanct, she said.

But, according to Diwo, a habitue for many years, the wind of change is blowing through Lipp. Opening Mondays has meant that new waiters have had to be hired alongside the dignified Lipp immutables, some of whom have worked there for 30 years or more. The house now accepts plastic, a definite aversion of Cazes for whom the very notion of credit was not



Suddenly becoming democratic is the biggest change of all.

table, a practice banned by Cazes who triage at the entrance, rapidly sifting out thought it would lead to the restaurant the select and conducting them to a table becoming filled by people from hotels and corresponding to their social or political tourist agencies. And, Diwo said, people standing and dismissing others with a pecan now be seen queueing to get in, as if remptory "We're full up. Come back in two

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Being part of the Lipp elect is a diag. Being part of the Lipp elect is a designation based not on money — the brasses reasonably priced by Paris standard; but on a kind of intellectual compatibity. "It's like a theater." Diwo said. "You are to be amused. You'll always find some you know."

Once approved by Cazes, initiates at tered a kind of court with its own rest, and rules — many of which are still posses. on black and red signs around the diviroom. The signs discourage custom from smoking aromatic pipe tobacco, particle by check asking the cashier for check or allowing their dogs to eat from a calablishmen's dishes. Unwitting check who asked for a Coca-Cola under se Cazes regime risked being banished to se Drugstore. The clocks still run fast, as in hurry customers from their places once the bill is paid. The ham served with the same. kraut is still for some reason cold and the coffee notoriously had.

Across the top of the menu is written a English. "No salad as a meal" — a refle. tion of Cazes's apparent bias against disconscious American tourists. Perrochon g. firms that foreign visitors now are welcome.

If the more relaxed attitude is worrisone to old-timers, it comes as a welcome change to others. The restaurant critis Henri Gault and Christian Millau one complained that Cazes always gave the impression he was about to ask for your

Perrochon agreed that succeeding such a strong character has not been easy. "He is ominpresent. You can't entirely replace him. You have to live with his image." She faced hostility from many among the 65-strong staff who had expected Cazes to be succeeded by his nephew and longtime deputy. Michel Cazes. "Things were a bit cold at first." she acknowledged. Perrochon said the main challenge of

running Brasserie Lipp is that of striking a balance between making it open to the world and at the same time keeping it as an Lipp were just another restaurant.

That Lipp is somehow becoming democratic is the biggest change of all.

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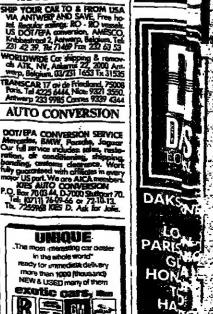
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